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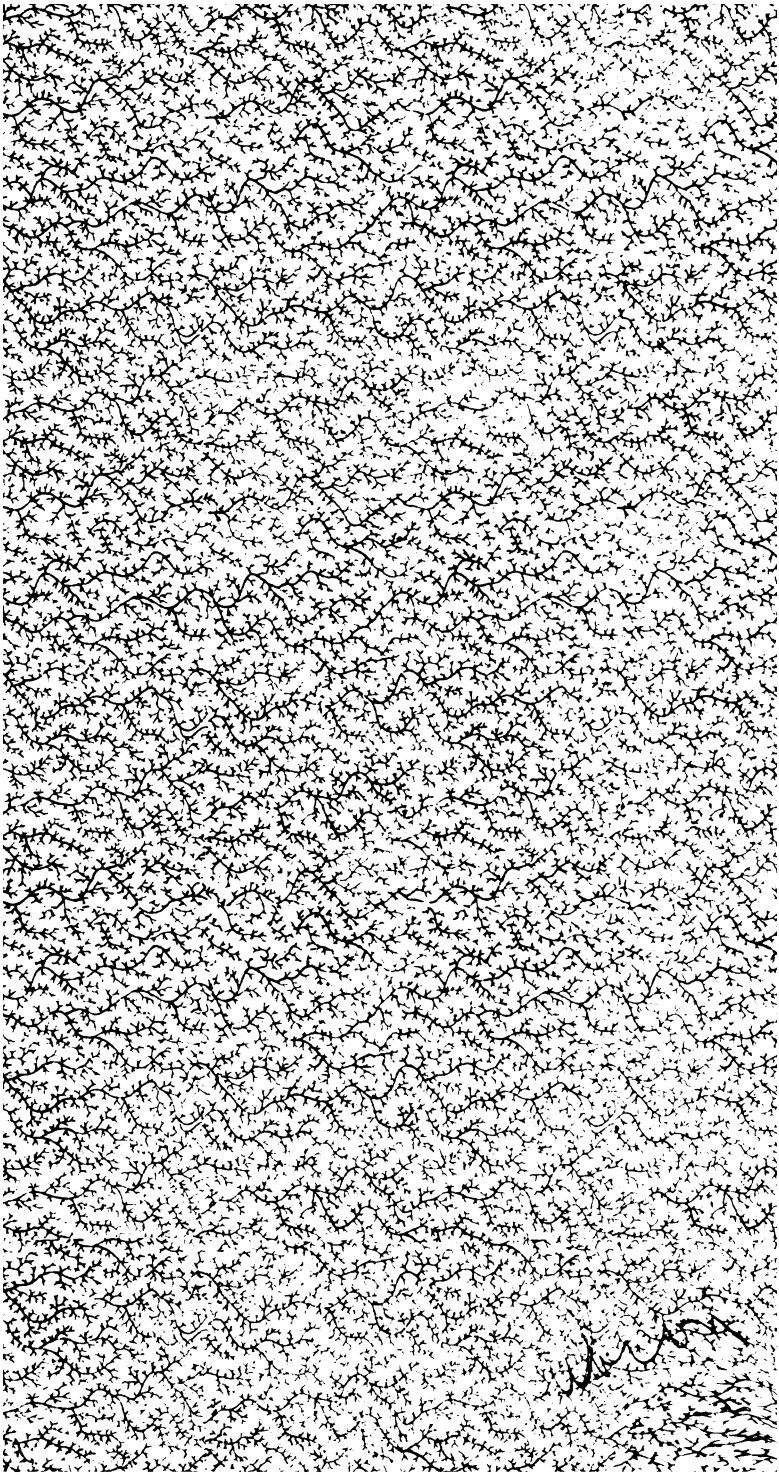

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BOOK THE FIRST.

SQUADRONS embattled, and the theme of war, thee Britain, the deeds of immortal Nelson: sing muse her worth, her sublime hero, what led him to surmount every difficulty, to overcome every enemy, in victory an abode heavenly retired, and immortalized, there rehearse a path of conquest, a life of glory; dwells virtue in man, the nobler powers in unison, lift the soul to heaven!

Glorious the dawn, the solemn morn, when the sun from Trafalgar's height, descryed combined fleets, lingering the horizon; through tedious night, astonished pursuit the chagrined British, but when beheld Aurora, then the west wind, Boreas then, haste homeward his solitary abode; the foe foiled, for conflict; yea, indignant, battle rage, furious encounter, when Nelson serene waving hand, instant attention throughout the fleet; captains, commanders, men: the looked for dawn, yon enemy, arm! be cool! let

future generations rehearse the honours this glorious day; he ended, rapture, heaven's canopy; thought succeed, anxious British territory, my love, my partner in toil, my mother, my king and country, for you I bleed, for you I die; these alternate the man shook; tears might have flowed if such when heroes weep; suppliant each heart, implore divine aid, approach contest, happy, resigned unerring wisdom, the God of battle, the giver victory.

The silent thought no more, when armed heroes hasten meet the enemy; animate strains, clarion echo, the victor's theme; enumerate, O muse, what bulwarks the memorable morn, entered the glorious combat, who them, what war, first the Victory, led the invincible Nelson; the Temeraire, Neptune, Conqueror, and Leviathan; Ajax, Orion, Minotaur, Spartiate, Agamemnon, Britannia, led Northesk, beckoning Africaine, the Naiad, Euryalus, Sirius, Phœbe frigates, graced youthful peat; the Pickle, the Entreprenante, vessels smaller note: these the van; superb the Royal Sovereign, led the gallant Collingwood, second in command, him the Prince, the Dreadnought, Tonnant, and Mars; Belleisle, Bellerophon, Colossus, Achille, the Revenge, Swiftsure, and Defence, closing an awful rear, the mighty Thunderer, the Defiance, and Polyphemus; battle array, filed off as disciplined armies, command their leader, when Nelson, rising, loud hailed the happy morn, Captains! brave tars! this the proudest day my existence, I stand forth leading you victory; see the foe, untaward advance, yourselves as men; thou unfathomable, our heads eternal

division, ere from the contest shrink, appalled, disheartened; England, individual duty; conquer or glorious adieu, and to devote the sacred hours, summon divine powers, that posterity, reverent, and triumphant, may rehearse the British character; he said; cleaver nether pinion, from the admiral, to the boatswain, more than mortal, push bulwark, swell bucklers, embrace the mighty element, heroes patient the nod, on yards, marshalled decks, keen irresistible, yet suppress forward heat, till 'mid battle, demand invincible prowess.

Meanwhile the crescent enemy, manly sublime on the British line; far superior, men, superb metal, calculate glorious; presume lightsome, nor dwell collected men, that contemn tenfold superiority; the pride of France, her boast Spain, stout-hearted mariners, ready their post, death ready, era momentous, as the tomb, as chaos reign, the sun 'mid canopy gold, methinks thy advance death, rage empire, the wrath of kings, the widow's tear, the orphan's cry, no more; descend, descend, smite furious disturbed ocean, a horror veil from the sight hide me, ere a world intervene, and darken all the earth; assembled towering clouds, snatched heaven from mortal view, breathless expiring animalcule, as when the sun, beckoning the Virgin, alarms Carribean, puffs giddy 'as, four winds, nature, here, there, dishevelled, men protection, ere whirlwind, thunder, dread ruin, utter annihilation.

Oh! for a heavenly voice, sing heroes immortal leading in triumph, to relate, exploits valour, deeds

numberless heroic, this glorious day; the Royal Sovereign, her renowned Collingwood, sonorous begun contest, sublime his column 'woke signal, arms, to war, thou grim tyran, active in groups, 'gan thousands their awful doom; close contact the Santa Anna, one hundred twelve guns her porthole, impetuous the hull, thunder huge masts, rash precious onset, waste, spend invalued strength; Englishmen, either shot, some veteran silence, nor squand, vociferate aerial heavens; sedate as axled time, successive death; some mast atoms, or center, confuse ranks, visit, invade, worse desolate fire, English cheer publish the foe, 'woke valour invincible, every man a hero his post, harrangue 'mid battle, divine oratory inspired; victory, joy, the enemy in reach, in reach, prostrate prodigies; infuriate tempest, either line, din, rude horrid war; Englishmen, top gallant, murderous, downward, commanders drawn sword, clad immortal fire, lead veteran crews, animate to glory, glory follows, heroic inspired the path to eternal renown; afar the sun's effervescent beam, locked vale, death's shadow, men, heroes the mind, rash, irritable, or divine, the collected and cool, 'mid ten thousand woes, godward, celestial; the enemy rattle hidden ballast, Englishmen, sublime attitude, ear, eye, in a moment plug, bar intruding ocean, with sceptre sway, the breaches repair; hungry, agape starve tombs, death tumbling, or aside the veteran maimed, lopped, shot off limb; sails, tatters, inebriate masts, tars headlong on deck, or flung vermillion billows, as lead, dive long pavements, unfathomable ocean; confusion, crash, rigging,

yards, masts overboard, the Royal Sovereign, bereft ornament, a battered bulwark, led immortal prowess; prowess serene, now steady, enemy's ranks, numbers pell-mell, force an awful destiny; elate the forward foe, Britons awed solemn brunt, one time terrible broadsides, inundate, lave watery, or middeck, chain weapon, two cut, heap heaps, a head here, there mangled frame, excruciate, twisted, overboard hid glared eyeballs, 'neath tinctured waves; death, groups to eternity; embossed enemies but the more confuse, innumerable veins, afar mingle vermilion, the distracted foe, push impeded decks, clear, tumbling ocean, unnumbered dead; some warm immortal life, scarce on celestial wing, others serene feature, heroic adieu, horrid mangled, some shock attitude, shrieks, agony, pitiful implore useless relief, some death invoke, cut short their woes, others, (so glory inspire,) farewell moments, king, endeared country; as thousand thunders, artillery roar; Englishmen, the vessel, her right, her designed station, her masts afar, her sails, rigging, her gallant heroes, swum briny billows, her hull unmanageable, stump reel, yet immortal manned, remained, what may humble, convince the enemy, valour unsubdued, invincible; heave round our head, Collingwood, hailing the Euryalus, soon triumphant, we arrive at the sally post; then Blackwood led; Collingwood, as an o'erwhelming tempest, forced the enemy's sides in; stagger reeled the Santa Anna, dormant, dumb, at a loss whether submit, or unfathomable, her subdued head; no more presuming cheer, before the breeze,

till the Tonnant o'ertaking, compelled instant submission; won; her shattered colours replaced Britannian, a handful preside, perilous, another gun, the awful depths; heroes Britain born, lulled death's embrace, Gilliland, Brand, Chalmers, the immortal Aikenhead, officers renowned, fell fighting, while animating their men,

The Temeraire, her Harvey, fearless the enemy's muzzles; indignant two line, horrid import, yardarm, 'gan death myriad shaped; serene the British, met stern onset, roused as the lion, shagged, stiffened mane, each tar 'live the awful moment, limb, nerve, nor thought an entrance, save joy that inspired, the enemy in reach, the enemy 'neath their feet; wrestle the English bulwark, on her stern, her prow, terrific agape, nimble mast head, yards, hung rigging, either deck, destructive besom, down hidden active unrelent, cruel compel the silent tomb; appalling, unheard; nor thousand thunder, heaven's exalt canopy, surpass dread period, stretch mental powers, most mighty, a sonorous peal; choked horizon, mountainous columns, that reluctant loiter, hemispheric as clouded night, when on ensanguined plains, armies due front, wake fires innumerable, that around, afar, redden infernal; brave the enemy, hideous warfare, a nod, bid valued life decease; Englishmen burn, irresistible, steady overpower, dread inundate crowded ranks; thousands overboard, ere life extinct, on the billowed ocean, curse unfeeling comrades; here inspiring cheer, there oratory, animate to glory, glory echo, at the summons heroes their worth declare; Harvey, his

gallant suite, oppose tenfold superiority; irritated the foe, vast numbers rush decks not their own, swift drew swords, for a moment, as the sun his meridian glory, the vestle long learned petrified hebistons; ranks urge ranks, crowds as inundate torrents, terrific, loud howled dire region, kindling century, tyrant war; prowess becoming, miraculous advance, snatch, grasp, tear lines divine, presumptuous the sacred standard, hurl impious, the quarter deck; attained, Englishmen arouse national ardour; atoms the glitter steel, plunge bosom death blades, advanced the murderous bayonet, heap precedes heaps, cheer mingle expiring agony, heavens a sickening hue, human purple, run copious flow ocean; Britons, dismay armed, compel merciless kiss sabre death; angelic ease overheard, the dead, the dying, affrighted veteran, enchanting, arose Britannian hue, loud rang star region, dumb artillery roar, while divine harmony, ascend remote heaven; now close their heels, and now the immortal British, leap foreign decks, with the sword quick brandish eternity-ward; in vain from above, in vain below, astonished supply, replace lost ranks, death his given command thin, thin aghast remains; possession; trembling hues, aloud for mercy, mercy, and peace, forcible stay rude arm terrific war; heroes, serene exit, melancholy list, Busigny, captain marines, Kingston, Gades, Pitt, terrestrial no more, heaven plains their eternal their everlasting home; cheer, dawn victory, two won combattled, Nelson, central, thundering the imperial field.

The Neptune, her Freemantle, single-handed, two Spanish line, able every gun, huge masts, rigging

puff blown, majestic the hull, while the top gallant, yon kiss briny surfaces; as an impregnable fortress, the British superior unequal combat, quick detail, now broadsides one, now the other, expert worse confusion; momentary alarmed, the enemy forget his post, his valour, or useless random, ocean echo, afar beyond terrific scenery; unarmed, extravagant; undisciplined squand precious treasure, void judgment as the disordered mind destitute divine reason; sublime Englishmen their artillery to a point, now batter wooden walls, now ranks cruel invade; tumble mariners from aloft, appal uppermost, the cannoneer his round, chain splinter, maimed foes, curses pain, irritated, chagrined, withdraws, gored wood; 'twixt wind, 'twixt water, burst planks, admit ocean, damp, mock ammunition, officers distracted, endeavour rally, compel duty, sacred demean, some partial obedience, others void discipline, rnu here, run there, either impede his neighbour; havoc immense, voracious death; ruin, annihilation, warfare 'mazed, battle tremendous, men, death, time, and eternity, superior the becalmed Neptune, Freemantle his crew, each other inspire, bravo conclude the war; the distracted enemy, view round shivered masts, sails tatters, groups immortal, full march broad barriers, an awful eternity; cloud smoke, snatched heaven from mortal view, the enemy aghast, his divine opponent, tacking to vociferate, sensation dire, decisive ruin, a birth the unfathomable, no more; a beckon mercy, awave, awave prostrate beam, brave tars a check terrific war, aloud sublime, celestial peace; glorious

possession; beckoned the mellifluous breeze, superior rainbow, 'mid agony upward, 'mid purple decks, clog choked unnumbered slain.

The Dreadnought her immortal commander most gallant, his superior opponent, nor ceased his awful thunder, till the alarmed foe in haste, waved trembling submissive signal; a handful preside, heroes steer superb prize, a conquered host, prisoners war; exchanged hues, delight afar the glorious field; triumphant then asteer Prince de Asturius, led Gravima, Spanish commander in chief, but enervate him command, bulge flight, swell ye winds, me waft the trying scene; the British halloo coward rear, nor did his panting bosom cease to beat, till dastard in Cadiz, exults beneath protecting batteries.

The Leviathan, her Bayntun, dismast armed, cuts the enemy's line, invincible, war hurry heroic 'midst; conquering his opponent, then the St. Augustine, a tremendous rake the Santissima, as passed triumphant way; cope joyful, cheer, harmony, acclamation astound, confuse their line, cross favorite schemes, well laid hopes destroy; the victorious British, front, rear, dread inroad, bear down, depths, the depths, bravo, compel prostrate triumphant battle; fifteen minutes pointed broadsides, deafen adamant, numbers pell-mell, plunge melancholy tombs, jar masts, yards, rigging, snapt valued upborne, in a moment tossed billowed ocean; fame swollen catalogue, catalogue swollen refulgent gold, shattered hues, hawsers triumphant, prizes superb, English jack Arabic hoisted, brave tars a shout, rend gladdened horizon, be-

yond thrilled echoes, lost heavenly adieu; O glorious ye higher powers the mind, honour, greatness, energy inspired; Nelson harrangue, officers, men, be stern, collected, minute duties fulfil; prowess invincible, rouse eternal deed, either movement superior death, the lonely tomb's infernal stare; valorous, humane, lift bugle blast, syren trump seraphic war; depths pavement, or on gored decks, or shadow death, myriads broad barrier, an awful eternity; cope yard-arm, monstrous blaster, thunder the line, resound artillery, or drawn sword divine display, scatter pride, superb bulwark, some totter, inebriate, some pale possessed, who proclaim, who just numbers, sing the memorable morn, Britain her illustrious sons, sublime anthems shall tune, through never-ending posterity.

The Bellerophon, her Cooke, locks his fore-yard L'Aigle, french embattled, same moment, the Minorca, Spanish line, on his weather bow, 'gan roar distressing; two others annoy, cruel his veteran quarters till diverted, meet inevited doom; serene the British hero, oratory harrangue, his men, godward, battle; nor the enemy satisfied manly weapon, musketry, bayonet, purple steel, lo! running array desolate impregnate fire, toss English decks, burn, plunge watery tombs, or starry ether immortal life, import dread magazine; thrice furious flames, thrice the British, cool hell efforts, tempered, heavenly reason; conquer, glorious adieu, view surround billows, a cypress canopy, or yon bulwarks, exchanged dip, myriad enemies, abject submissive imperial footstool; momentous era, officers, brave tars, marines, riflemen,

yards, top gallant, 'vade upper, or downward some hero, vanquish, adorned outward attainment; Cooke enthroned, falcon inmost recess; chief the honorable game, heroes! convince king, country, all lands, Britain, her invincible realm, victorious to the stars renowned immortal deed; as confines bordering despair, the enemy envelope the Bellerophon, rouse alternate prowess, Englishmen stern, awed rack tenfold battle, the rattle prodigious pounders, distract the sense, deafened man, sees gape, writhe, nor hear heart-rending agony; lightning live, tyrannic roar, nor hail surcharged heavens, surpass vollies grape, that en masse swept heroes, possession tombs; Cooke serene, his mind as bliss; the enemy peruse gild lesson, hearts tempered brass, 'mid rock, rout, death ebony sceptred; round shot pour, murderous grape, the gall chain, in two cut huge masts, crimson the beautied frame: clog with gore, slip slide vermilion pavement, broadsides one time, planks, holds, hidden ranks, rush annoy, inundate a watery tomb, confuse armed, damp ammunition, precious time so valued in battle, snatch eager grasp; war infinite, chagrined heads; against the foe muse escape, loft all hands, now pinion bulge, now inglorious flight, ply, toil disgraceful, ah! fated brethren, nor winds, nor obedient billows, arrest your impending doom; locked arms war, death, or at the heroes' feet, fate irrevoked; Cooke pinnacled glory, golden heights victory, the enemy his last fire, (so heaven ordained,) the immortal hero, serene death's sable embrace, laurel embedded, a beauteous

mien, his happy spirit, upward on celestial wing, realms everlasting bliss.

Nor must I omit the Britannia, Northesk, stump thundering the line, front, rear, bellow broadsides, unutterable dismay; the enemy a lily handkerchief, nor moments rowled, allow formal submission, possession; onward one, the other, two or more incessant gall, confuse tremor, compel wave gilead, or graceful on deck a prostrate obedience.

The Belleisle, thee Hargood, worthy thy country's praise, fought two line, tumbling masts overboard, the British vast exertion, cut stumps, netted cordage, free the entangled vessel; brave tar a shout, echo ocean, stars unseen, the battle, the battle, arms length, the brazen foe, foiled his schemes, diverted game, Englishmen at ease, a rapid march triumphant, victory, immortality; unnumbered slain, melancholy succession, Duff sudden adieu, delightful theme, Britannia rule, harmonized his happy spirit, blissful realms, eternity.

Meanwhile, Nelson, sublime his column, center the enemy's line; the sun azure inlets, picture embattled sea, now hid, profoundest gloom, silence as death, cavern tombs, dread forerunner ten thousand woes; inveterate battle; the enemy admired order, Villeneuve harangue, friends! countrymen! your opponent, abject, or the awful depths; hand toward heaven, a feeling bosom, agony depict, involuntary sigh, invited doom; Nelson cool, yon more than human his brother Collingwood, purple billows, lash the hero, the superb Victory, joy beams either

feature, wrapt a glory his eternal crown; officers, men; patient, sacred posts, 'mid battle tremendous, the Buccentaure, French bulwark, woke chorus, ocean, shores unseen, aghast repel wrath broadsides; the Victory, rent sails, snapped rigging, heroes resigned, either deck, nor lived, 'gan reap harvest field; her main top-mast, sails studding, the useful boom, swum tempestuous ocean, ere wakened shot or eyelid drawn, expressive muse; ear, eye, on the British commander, catch his sable nod, that shook heaven's conclave, beyond startled horizons, unknown, when like the vent, thousand, jammed clouds, the Victory, lower, 'mid, upper tier, a point, shook the presuming foe, trembling her stature; ocean shrugged shoulder, the hero exult mood, three cheers the sublime heavens, vociferated his valorous crew, commands cool demean, precision fellows, crack venerable, adamantine batter, quench rage tumultuous enemies, lordly grim tyrant, nimble top gallant, busy on deck, halloo, make way, or hasty through port-holes, promiscuous lumber; others ken towards heaven, for relief implore divine aid, cut short woes, gracious receive agasp dying moments; the British, divine disciplined, angelic attitude, heap, trample, burden depths, humane, withal in a moment, recall hell blast, tenderly the submissive, alleviate his distress, loud laugh the terrific past, the immortal hero, brave tars, alive refined feelings; eagle opticked, with joy the whole line in action; nor by winds baffled, or surge wave, nor aloof visible, cold spectator; some throated arm, arm, others intrepid the rear, yon slackened fire, celestial fame, ready

prepare, sound eternal blast, te deums, hear ye heavens, invincible the immortal British, renowned everlasting song; masts tumbling pell mell, cheer victorious, nelson roar battle, imperial death, thousands their doom; nor signals waved, ladies correct, taught divine lesson, conquer, or kneel eben footstool, sable throne, the king of terrors; Villeneuve, the enemy, brave to a fault, conversant central, the intrepid British, Englishmen, (inferior in numbers, in strength,) manly their every strength, cope single, on the prow, the stern, compelled left handed war, nor fairly allowed, a handsome tack, others sacred territory, hope overwhelm, elate too soon, calculate glorious,—Ah! bulwarks, your decree, nor swell waves, or friendly winds, arrest revolve destiny; Nelson joy, within hulk thou, their huge all; in vain horrid glut, engine amassed warfare, the cool, collected, heaven born sustain, nor war tribes, clime, every shore, nor combined realms, nor assembled globes, winged worlds, borne vengeance, shall appal Britain, her sons, leaders, veteran illustrious, terrestrial summoned, land celestial strands, their full reward possess realms, everlasting bliss; Nelson, either tier, grape as hail, enormous round, clinker chain, perilous, decided musketry; nor less vigilant the foe, plough upper, crack brazen bulwarks, the hull, iron keel, incessant, employ unseen heroes, the war vary infinite direction; the foe as men, or wanton, toss firebrands, molest, path immortal, from her inflammable tops, the Redoubtable, flung decks, the English their every nerve, meet hell descent, quench, tumble ocean, roll heaps, hiss clouds, that voluminous embraced

either hostile line; Nelson incensed, armed tempest broadsides, whirlwinds on fire, nor outward gaud, gilded foes, 'vert Heaven's determined stroke, summoned death's alarm, bid silent, the lonely tomb possess; reiterate shot, top gallant, sieve puff blown, decks heaped, the dying, the decided dead; appalled statue enemies, kens the British hero, the winds, waves, very command, irresistible, annihilation, his adversaries, 'neath his feet; their leader, pity his officers, his men, the vessel her last legs, trembling a foundering tomb, smiting his breast, agony the extreme, bid aware, reverant superior prowess, burst joy, cheer, harmony, hostile fleets, nor detained, new the sublime heavens, mingling, lost seraphest empyrean; an officer, a veteran few, with care the prize from the line, her illustrious Villeneuve, dignified yielded, astonished, his honorary weapon.

Meanwhile, the conquering hero, exulting, rousing, officers! men! the contest just began; see yon bulwark Santissima, whose hull intrude shadow, whose top lean the skies, unseen her gallant, sullen as an isle, awful emboldens, thou ocean, central unfathomable, us, one from the contest, disheartened, shrink from the glorious combat; heroes! war, to battle, and your worth proclaim; he said, deafening huzzas, nor artillery roar, heard amid echo; eager, each prevailing gleam, to action the mighty soul, blythe the victory, majestic, proud propelling billows, (her prize in safety,) the vacant line, admit, easier manœuvre, helm, either deck, exquisite machinery, arrayed yards, longside her terrific opponent, one hundred

thirty six artillery, empyrean towering, burdensome the profound, a happy spectacle, the hero, his immortal crew, fan noblest pride, triumphant joy, impressed awe, respect the enemy, minute movement, Cimeros indulged; downward his stern opponent, nerve, genius, resolve quick inspect, life, soul his inspired crew, hail rouse the man, sense energetic battle; inward prophetic, as the mind, surpass herculean strength, as divine reason, superior ten thousand worlds, I see the English leader, and his veteran crew, nor alone, lo! long line, series invincible valour, wrapt horror, wrapt bravo, to withstand a globe in arms; smothering suppressed passion, aloud his officers, his men, fellows! countrymen! up the moment, summon your energy, cope yon enemy, manly your courage, let the day annihilate, let victory, thee fame, hasten redound, to seas, to unknown clime; he said; decided theme, artillery agorge, vomit death, terrific woe, ocean amazed, earth central shook; agitated horizons, waft murmur billows, aloft azure; Nelson, nor the valley death's shadow, shook his divine mien, nor his all summoned to withstand his huge opponent; calm inmost, battle harangue, rehearse eternal deed, immortalized to the stars; his presence, life, selectest joy, the Victory harmonious tack, export thousand death, one time batter huge hull, 'nother tumble yards, intrepid burden lucid briny surfaces, crack venerable gigantic, point mirrors, 'neath invade terrible slaughter, sap, inundate keel foundation; midshipmen 'stonished feats, shook divine prowess, arduous the grand cause, superior death, appal tombs, determined bravery,

maintain national honour, her dignity, her rights Britannia, mistress universal seas, alone worthy, sway old Ocean's imperial empire; above, below, 'loft varied decks, thickened the scene, the carnage grew; brass, mental powers, rack, irritated war, serene the heavenly mind, iron array nerves, sinewy either joint, the celestial soul, to war rouse, rouse to battle, its element, glory; smoke upward 'scend heaven's sublime canopy, rebound echo, that alarmed the peaceful stars; who proclaim, cheer, harmony, the conqueror's song, mingle the throng; Nelson every move, increase heaps, the stubborn dead; inanimate their final home, laurel arrayed a melancholy succession, tossed purple seas, promiscuous from above; amain vermilion floods, ran rushing ocean, rent the air, agonize, pitiful moan, rack pain, dread torture, gashing arterial, fountains life; nor the enemy less vigilant, incessant annoy his rifle, the brave, the immortal Scott, Adair ascending the shrouds, death that beckoned descend, Palmer, Rain, Smith, warriors their last, their final home encircled glory; unabated the cruel carnage, the Victory, superior advantage, nimble movement, fresh horror, export worse confusion, the crowded enemy, sixteen hundred, decks, yards, armies array buzz, aloft, below, beneath, assembled darkened realms, an immortal reserve, that heroic, in a moment, lost ranks replace; death not content in dividual life, voracious whole ranks, as pasture grass, beneath the mower's scythe; Nelson imperial, halloo, aloud sing the rich harvest, now boys, as a machine, whose every wheel conducive divine harmony, strip-

lings, the command echo, every direction, pour magazines, round shot, pepper, the gall chain, sweep grape, barrows powder from inexhausted resource; thou august captain, an outstretched arm, increase whirlwind, celestial discipline, inspired example; central nether extremes, a glance the formidable line, invincible career, veteran colleagues, the buffeted Victory, piecemeal sails, dangle suspend yards, wounded bulwark, bedaubed gore, peeped through crystal, fitted plugs, heroes divine attitude, defy whole broadsides, loud hammering, with muscular nerve, quick important breaches, repair; hidden far down, scarce hear upper din, yet death them visit, in a moment, some veteran beckon the silent tomb; nor unseen, shut above gleam, can award dread hour battle, summoned heaven's command, no longer human, but on celestial territory, their everlasting reward; the enemy's artillery, a sweep blast, ran purple streams either deck, men reverant the mangled frame, toss silent billows, a downcast mien, hymning, bless lamented career; some wound torture, stern spectators, aloud regret cut off service, others fire, pious resigned moments, king, endeared country; skies that listened, returned more than mortal accent; nor sickening calms, bluster billows, squall gales, check the Victory, her obedient helm, majestically sublime, hoist her desired station, export infernal confusion; the enemy dire import, slacken in movement, huge, unwieldy, unmanageable, a prey devouring fire, destructive death; Nelson, then his officers, his men, heroes! the close contest; victory, fame, ready ascend

golden chariots, echo all lands, the distant stars; the enemy dilatory, his slain clog heaps, burdened decks, nor funeral rites, them decent, lower the silent tomb; Englishmen! king, country, demands divine energy, to the depths, I say depths, sink their huge all, yet alive exalted feeling, when for mercy, hail, beckon peace, embrace, with feeling, and tenderness; as the lion when bristly roused his terrific anger, the British lower, 'mid, upper tier, a point, forced enormous planks, the marines at a fire, subdue latent strength, howled amazed region, the vessel her last legs, cheer, acclaim, startled heavens, death, annihilation, astare the brave Cimbres, smites agonized breast, significant nod, down his rainbow, allelulian, earth, ocean sang; possession, an officer, veteran handful, warped the prize, glory; as unfaded youth, the Victory, her immortal leader, instant a third, amain 'gan tumbling huge sides, lively began roar, stern broadsides, shook the fearful foe, that aloof through deafening series, roamed here, there, nor steady the grand cause; the enemy frightened, agitated, yet reason enough, anxious strike his colours, the contest decline; spectacle sublime, masts, sails, manh'd bulwark, a perfect prize; Nelson the head his three trophies, conducts serene movement, triumphant round feast enamoured field; subsiding din, as the Caribbean, the sun arm in arm, the heavenly Virgin, alarms father Ocean, sceptered winds; loud roar the storm, thunder's howl brazen poles, loud roar the winds, rage nether skies, ascend the eternal stars, perpendicular down, upton mountain billows, the distracted mariner, aloft sublime

heavens, plunge now, now the lowest hell; appeased, wrath, hurricane, adieu; peep fearful azure, nature unfolds her virgin seraphic beauty; mitigated thus, eve this bloody conflict, that snatched heaven, refulgent bliss, from mortal view; O passing strange, the sun enveloped gold, and wrapt an awful tinge, revolving worlds.

Nor wanting either English bulwark, to recount demands a brazen throat, a hundred tongues, lungs, breath inspired, thou Mars, terrible as a god, Achille, Agamemnon, the nobler Ajax, nor must we omit the Conqueror, Colossus towering the stars, Orion, proof showers bullets enraged enemies; the almighty Thunderer, on a par embattled heavens, some defiance, swift revenge insult, others astonished defence; the English jack, triumphant, bulwark prizes, some led tow, some steered veteran handful, others totter, loft all hands, buoyant reduced wrecks, preserve foundering adieu; some unfathomable, nor utmost skill, award lamented portion, others lost steerage; mercy winds, roar billows, precipitate rocks, pointed reef, the surge, cruel waves, buffet horror, dissolution; some sheeted flame, L'Achille, her illustrious commander, amazed, forbidden heavens; a few invoke the winds, spread canvass, fear fly, nor slacken, or askance peep, horizons afar, random steer, nor the compass consult, or eye the blue vault, heaven; some Cadiz inglorious, the Aliva, granted thy life, the dread hour battle, yet curst, thou fled'st, treacherous wings escape; others equipped, inimitable prizes, a host, prisoners war; thousands undisturbed, a

tomb race; pious the squadron, upward adoring muse, aloud thanked reverant strain, the God of heaven; victory, fame, sang Britain, her Nelson's glory, sang her rulers, her worth, her monarch as the polar, the golden star, serene sceptred elevate heavens, myriad trains, harmonious, that everlasting sings, tributary strain.

BOOK THE SECOND.

SCARCE the hero his desire, and his great mind temporary rest, when momentary as lightning, buoyant alone the peaceful main; nor close melancholy battle, jury fleets, fatigued squadrons, satiate valour, panting war, or death reclined, wearisome arm, ether sublimity, ocean, a calm demean, rowled the purple billows, on his peaceful shoulders, and the glorious sire of day, ascends his western throne; to close the memorable, the everlasting day; whence this change, sudden exclaim, I shudder, I enjoy, at once the scene my soul enraptures; caught from battle, confused uproar, in a twinkling, lost ineffable beauty; he said: superb yon horizon, a magnificent sail, father Ocean attendance, arabic gales, fragrant east, the sublime west, swift movement, till meet a vast center, hush, sacred around, uprisen divine messenger, outstretched arm, hail! captain, mightiest hail! enough! other honors await, other glory reserve, no more terrestrial prowess, but thy just, thy eternal reward; I on seraphic errand, descent blest isle, launch, plowed the

billowed orb, oft sudden jar, thou thundering Trafalgar's coast, thee, when silenc'd thy enemies, and triumphant pinnacled immortal glory; he said, led graceful on board; from his seat, vestment robe, laurel wreath encircled gold, placing the heroes temples, him kneeling on his shoulders kingly alighted; this I thee; this merited trophy as the well-earned fruits, numerous victories; arise, o'er the main, sublime run, till dawn us point an heavenly abode; he ended, arose the hero; not Parthian kings of old, nor Egyptian monarchs, crowned eastern barbaric, surpass greatness the man, Meliboean, starr'd emblem, thee I obey, O heavenly visitant, while night glow empyrean myriads, heaven's empress, to extasy, each pious thought, let us on varied theme, omnipotence descant, unerring providence, till morn rouse joyful the dormant sons of men; either opposite, seated, folded arms, why should I refrain, a royal vessel, gilt external, the setting sun unnumbered diamond, limn'd surrounding ocean; mahogany built central cedar, rigged purple, satin her expand, enchanting aloft streamed Britain's divine shadow; pompous demean, nor helm, hid ballast, velvet repose, either side rich carved, emblem peace, war emblem, triumphant series, lounged the immortal voyagers, delightful, her all open azure, youthful, irritable to be gone, Nelson, joy, extatic scenery, an angel his heavenly friend, conduct desired haven, wrapt richer purple, a golden belt ran him around, twinkling stars, fragrant demean, on his brow majesty, divine worth, superior ten thousand worlds,

Now eastern gales, the vessel swift as the wind; her head north, correct as the needle, nature's unerring school; adieu the sun, reverant Arcturus, Pleiades, the Northern Bear, Orion anxious, heaven amazed splendour, emblazoned galaxy, the sun's golden repose, stars, beds stars, foundation stars, hand resting, the visible finger Deity, pointing, where thought wanders lost, infinite perfection; thus, when the hero; O thou, on terrestrial errand, obedient thy heavenly command; while glow nocturnal refulgence, let us on varied theme, sing him who rules eternity, this outlet glorious, that display matchless wisdom, immaculate perfection; he ended, his celestial guide, thou hero, Britain born, to conduct an isle, far distant, my joy, yea highest delight; sing heavenly muse, and first, ere seas, or stars were created, or the sun his sublime station, God the supreme, from all eternity, self existent; the Eternal, happy in himself, no service need from angel, seraph, or the magnificence heaven, (beyond language to express,) to delight omniscient eye; infinite in wisdom, holiness unapproached, round his throne, myriads angels, archangels, celebrate, ever ceaseless adoration; whether celestial, heaven, heavens, innumerable labyrinths, to the minutest unseen, unthought terrestrial particle, conspicuous divine goodness, boundless lost; systems animalculæ, invisible germs, Deity his providence, his care, earth, rock, fibred blade, little insect, himned vegetable, the lowing herds, rude roar beasts, man, dignified man, morn, eve, nor midnight wanting, praise continued, unheard dull mortal ear; earth, the moon, gilded planes, lawn satellites, sono-

rous highest ether, who their numbers, privileg'd matchless career, lost the abyss, thought reels, staggers the mind, the intellectual, abject expressive, adoration; the sun, the golden sun, the metropolis his empire, central attraction, divine harmony, attendant beauties, empyrean, to cheer, animate, give life, wake angel song, hymn incessant, the Supreme, his ruler, and governor; imperial smiles give birth, revolving worlds, unnumbered life, myriad germs; lord the planetry, some privileged his immediate person, others remote, thee parent earth midway, drink large, suspend sublime axle, endless beauty, infinite order, the seasons, their immortal round, proud zenith, penetrate hidden machinery, or more calm, expand nature, or temperate, the vegetable orb, or some, just peep chilled horizons, to bid an unwelcome farewell; noon as bliss, midnight terrific; lovely, purple wing, Aurora opening eastern palaces, aspiring morn, the sun majestic western wheel, still serene eve, twilight, inspiring hour, dead midnight, at one moment, yea ever, now existing this earthly ball; the moon, as an attired virgin, graceful peeping newly born, or enormous rising eastern horizons; southing here, yon bluster meridian, one time seraphic array, 'nother angring four winds, ocean, summon aleft azure; now draining rivers, rapid now hastening purpled beds; a midnight lamp to man, a prodigy the heavens, ruling unfathomable, clad royal robes, a virgin sun the lifeless pole, sultry, or temperate, matchless beauty, veil their faces stars, save an indulged few, privileg'd sublime her exalted presence; then heaven's clear azure, the

divine nine, their sacred influence, to extasy, reason, judgment, imperial will: here heaven's immaculate field, there felt darkness, howl the winds, thunders hollow brazen poles; here genial spring, yon riper bliss, thither lap laden autumn, afar father Winter, ever trudging to close the grateful year; the mariner at rest, peace leads the keel, other seas, waves aleft, the vessel on high, or unheard, plunge, reel unfathomable abyss; descending snows, adamant blasts, perilous sleet, bulwarks jamm'd ocean, the same moment, scenery elysian, endless diversity, who adequate, sing, her machinery nature, her beauty, divine paths, shall heaven want praise, or time for a moment, void, sublime song? exquisite harmony, the works of God, genial showers, whisper gales, lands snow powdered, the sedentary hoarfrost; sight, sense, lost an eternal review; each clime their count, each realm its lesson, God equally read, animalculæ, in the blade, as an insect minute, heavenly demean creation, as operations the immortal soul, earth, the sun, his outlet glorious, as the myriad paths, sublime heaven; now a sparrow falls, now an empire born, man visits his long home, a babe nurtured, destined an instrument, his all-wise hand; affliction some, some resigned sleep, others despair, descend regions everlasting woe; here reclaimed the profligate, their temptation to disgrace, some prosper, adverse others, individuals, nations, whole earth 'neath heaven's omniscient, unerring wisdom, father, governor, kills, makes alive, creates, his pleasure to destroy, pestilence, disease armed, curb arrogant man, alarm empires, the human heart feel wrath

indignant, his awful power adore; O holy Governor, insects, quadruped, man, animalculæ revolve, as ruler worlds, endless eras, heaven unbounded, harmonize hallelujahs, immortal hosannas, ceaseless exist sublimest praise.

Arose the hero; upward outstretched arm, moments absorbed lost contemplation; rescated the celestial visitant, sang impious revolt in heaven, when the Almighty, armed vengeance, flung unfathomable hell, thrones, principalities, spirits, brimstone chained, reserved appear heaven's dread tribunal, fiends implacable, the eternal damned: he sang creation, father Time; powers, dominion, seraphic wing, angelic the profound, then stayed refulgent chariot wheels, whose glittering career, outshone myriad suns nether heaven: Deity at command, unspeakably grand, silent commotion! the rude mass at a nod, beautyward, choirs the supreme, divine harmony, heard utmost bliss; heaven whose suberb stars, led; Gabriel, seraphic choirs, now him, who was, is, everlasting, infinite, eternal, what time Deity, stood the vast abyss, loud echo command, let there be light, essence divine, privileged this distant outlet, till loud the archangel, time shall no longer exist; celestial mystery, sublunary chained, at liberty, bound, realms immortality: light he sang, intellect coeval, how transmitted from Deity, how in the immortal soul, how in the golden sun; framed heavens, benign command, let the waters be divided, a firmament, heaven upward, heaven amid, run the planets, wheel the sun, spotless moon, man the bare orb, exhales pure ether, invisible, save amber

seen, opening dawn, or refulgence seraphic noon, or azure twilight, her serene approach, her phylacteries ting'd golden purple; due order, capacious caverns, thousand cataracts, ten thousand, heard thundering, tumbling nether havens, nor prevailed winds, nor fluid, ingredient life, massy rolled, an omnipotent arm, embowel'd, myriad veins, ooze mountain, flow vales, or impetuous, nature adorn heavenly diversity; land, peeping land, earth in birth, seraphic smil'd; he sang the mighty unfathomable, in what chained; nor rise, drown the new made world, heaving swell; Deity, a divine tint, the immaculate opaque, nature led Almighty arm, her train the immortal seasons, myriad hue, myriad paths, virgin, exquisite, dip heaven's fount, with sweeter voice, sonorous brings up the closing year; thee earth, amazed machinery, endless harmony, wandering God; the Almighty reposing the bare orb, with outstretched arm, bid heaven his power behold, mute, silent his works, stillness seraphic, all heaven attent, had earth been, earth in adoration, had shrunk from her orbit; echo command, aloud, ineffable beauty, destined myriad ages, light, life, eternal joy, yea when Time, run his terrestrial career, Deity, a veil o'er azure beauty, nor quench his divine work; sublime refulgence, how rouse the morn, limning portals, heaven; ascent zenith, splendour meridian, king noon eternal; superb lounge, his western car, graceful retiring worlds, sings resplendent eve, obedient the noon, unison earth, intruding stars, full chorus, chant heaven's reposing sire; eloquent the divine stranger, attractive, repulsive, empy-

rean, tributary celestial thrones, his train moons, lesser moons, ascend heaven battlements, plunge, elliptical, he sang the virgin moon, when her sire busied other clime, when catching his golden eye, she wakes the twilight hour; scripture earth, man's divine lesson, to peruse wisdom's master-piece, the varied planets, hymning immortal career, their domain, sacred character, some heavenly begirt, others exquisite lustre, mirror'd urns, a perpetual supply, from founts golden divine; wisdom central; stars, starry heavens, myriad trains, unnumbered worlds, that harmonize 'round the everlasting throne of God: assembled waters, heave, ingredient, globular long pavements, dappled surfaces, light, being, life, fin innumerable, huge whales, don leviathan, unknown empire, gratitude, praise, expressive love, their element, their character, some exquisite beauty, others terrific, some pavement unfathomable, others enchanting hue, canopy indulged, forbidden atmosphere, icy, some delight brazen poles, some tread seas 'neath heaven's meridian; worlds, myriad, amazed; he sang the mighty deep, oceans imperial empire, Deity's outer court, thence, earth, rule highest heaven; beckon the moon, virgin, her pleasing smiles, winds, ocean, seas controul, winds, ocean, delighted seas, heave purple breasts, wave golden heads, inland propel rivers, distant beds supply; blest queen benign, calm flow, bluster deep, era extatic, when sings the immortal nine, Aurora gild, meridian blaze, western refulgent, or serene eve, thundering muse, winds aroar, chariots, Ocean sceptered his awful trident, storms, darkness, unfathomable billows; next the feathered kind,

their plumage, beauty, down, tint, heaven dipped hues, at thy command, O Almighty Goodness, those that bask seraphic beams, superb list, glitter, wheel the circuit expanse, peaceful tribes, chaste, undefiled as azure ether, why inoffensive, lives long, pleasurable bond, born, run a life of peace, at the hour of death, no death, resigned an infant, a heavenly slumber; others clarion, mysteries divine: cattle, creep, earth's insect domain, four-footed beast, the beast, for strength, that at midnight, grateful, when nature's self dormant, dead; omnipotence quadruped, dumb expression more eloquent, than human divine feature.

He sang their sublime order: the moon now rising, lampt upward heaven, around region, reverent the winds, old Ocean mum, empyrean serene, stars resign their golden crowns, the muse inspiring taught; stillness seraphic, aurora retarded, mount golden car; leaving minute other theme, oratory divine, man the image his exalted Maker, what time Deity, let us make man, silence extatic, when stooping, the Almighty, life breath'd, the soul implanted, the human breast, that divine spark, coeval eternity, pre-eternal, superior unnumbered worlds, heaven's amazed expanse, and when time, his head low laid, shall forgotten sleep, lost, rowl eternal ages, the spirits men, an immortal, an everlasting existence; man, the presence infinite majesty, mechanism, framed realms, bliss, exquisite machinery, the seat of life, its vermilion aorta, that defy, boasted strength, ten thousand worlds, in what fed, omnipotent arm the eternal pump, myriad powers

supply, new vigour impart, and inspire the soul; he sang immortal man, silence held mute, earth, heaven, hell, when aloud blessing, increase, be fruitful, multiply, the earth replenish, subdue, all herb bearing seed, every tree yielding fruit, man, beast, perpetual resource, dominion o'er cattle, creep, winged fowl, purpled heaven, ocean's amazed empire, the immaculate ken, perfect, good, choirs creation, sublime anthems sang the Eternal, this his choicest work; God the hollow his hand, earth poising, unison refulgence, revolve axis, hand in hand celestial bodies, irritable detain'd, Deity his work, delighted long, ere askance toss, commands the four winds, their thrones, commands great father Time, his golden chariot, to ascend; how now glorious display, Deity on high, burst gates, the Lord of hosts, the Lord of hosts, mighty in battle, he is the King of glory; hallowed eternity, unapproached holiness, his six days' work, the sun, moon, revolving planets, earth, earth, monument eternal infinite goodness, and wisdom; long the angelic visitant, thee parent earth, in birth, as adorned heaven, man as governor, with heart pure, leading the way, grateful to the Most High; central beauty; majesty sweep, myriad ages, grateful vicissitude, day, night, dawn, meridian, her golden apparel celestial twilight; hid, metallic, the wonder-working God, read trackless paths, innumerable stratas, caverns abode gloom, cataracts, embedded ocean; the dissected sphere: man roams the surface, nor dwell beneath realms, the sun from on high extatic, a second sun, earth's center, cheer worlds revolve, as the heart in man, momentary life,

utmost extremes; earth's basis, foundation rock, marble built, and sublime, framed divine, heaven's eternal architect; rivers azure bedded, cataract tumbling, wonder worked, through finer veins, terrestrial surfaces, crystal, cold as death, or warm, boil bubbling springs; man digs, dives varied ore; hurried infinite space, pursue daily avocation, morn, meeting her beams, Aurora, then heaven's meridian, askance eve, nor reflect myriad jaunt, earth, rock, huge precipices, ocean, sea, vast forests, nor moves a leaf, or a breath disturbed, heavenly variety, unfold her beauties spring, refulgent beams, lap laden store, sing the arrival father Winter; delightful ease, expanded muse, how correct the varied planets, hymning obedient courses, earth honored at early morn, or serene eve, beholds a virgin, a heavenly eye, him buckled his golden ring, the majestic sire, sacred wrapt sublime mirrors; earlier seen, proclaiming mortal man, their divinity, ere heaven, powdered stars, through midnight, echo celestial harmony; earth, outlet, suburb glory; what order creation; man upright, cattle, creep, peace harmonized, gratitude, adoration, deity, a frequent tour, his distant realm, nor clouds, storms, nor infected atmosphere, nor the poles icy fettered, nor the mind instilled guile, nor sin, curst death, sneak, hell infernal, era celestial, ancient immortal hour, earth, as pavement heaven; resort angels, blest spirits, memorable epoch, spontaneous, ten thousand worlds, one, beauty enchant, landscape serene, perfections nature, the soul on immortal food, musing paths Deity, in his presence now, now thickest recess,

reverant rustling leaves, inspired, stillness, an omnipresent God; creation, rapturous the Creator, morn, noon, eve, grateful, midnight holy, heaven tumbled golden orbs, earth afloat empyrean, nor tempest, seas, rocks, precipices, lord mountains, award, or the least check, golden hinges, her immaculate revolve; amid pursuit, ambitious man, still the grey-eyed dawn, noon, twilight, roll seasons, nature her original, morn, noon, eve, depth, midnight, big immortality; still earth, annual sweep, the moon her silvery attire, as first adorned; planets unfatigued, life eternal, the sun, abrupt embattlements, plunge unknown abyss, venerable trains, that obedient, everlasting, wait their celestial sire; still the stars, seated glory: sublime the angelic visitant, sang the solar, heavens higher, and exalted field; and now he descants the garden of Eden, when in review God's numerous works, passed the sire of men; cattle, creep, fowl afloat wing, earth's lord imperial named the innumerable multitude; what vegitation, nature her wedding array, her fragrance, increase, stately serpentine, Pison, Gihon, Hiddekel, father Euphrates; infinite wisdom, a helpmate, man from the dust, tabernacle built, within kindled Almighty breath, reigns the immortal soul; Jehovah, silence, his train; thrones, dominions, reverant a wonder-working God; heaven 'stonished mood, admiration seized abashed hosts, led Almighty arm, extatic scenery, Adam, an infant slumber, yon distant quires, and now the tuneful lyres, and now seraphic harmony, loud, omniscience, roused Adam as one from the dead, heaven's princely gift to lonely man, sweet-

ness serene, a virgin mien, the delicate mind, wherein to read, how God is love.

No more inviting theme, inspiring song, this memorable run, celestial fund, angel's food, leaving Paradise, regretted; God, withdrawn his smile, man shut out, room, to dwell exposed; tragic, downcast a lower note, chagrined on fallen man, as storms, sleeted hail, as sorrow the human breast, the awful frown incensed Deity, when man presumed, lost the favor his Maker; hopeless ambition, inquisitive the instilled draught, sucked nether dregs, the Most High, demands obeisance, his very due, divine attribute, freely commanded, all trees, the tree of knowledge, good, and evil except, the day thou eatest, shall surely die; man the finger beckon sin, an invitation death, armed father Time, his rusty scythe, dread import, infernal woe, accursed sin, and sickly sorrows; what Eve, thy transgression Adam, trembled affrighted earth, the present hour, pals'd, bereft celestial harmony; shock central, disordered refulgence; plough briny seas, uptoss myriad vapours, clouds sullen, brew process, jammed lightnings, thunders, nor benign, immaculate suns, lost; ever lost, forfeited smiles Heaven; angelic visitant, equipage divine no more, unworthy, receive; incurable, pages inexorable fate, destined destruction; a rapid theme, Adam from Paradise, fallen, forlorn, what, gust winds, desarts empyrean, mingle affright holy stars, terrific howl, midnight dell, horror yell, why furious hail, hideous drive sleet, tempest God's messengers, lightnings, faint glimmerings hell; entrail diseased, sulphuric grumble, at war

ever, ingulphed misery, furrow alarmed surfaces, swell, yawn, and gape, terror kings, the tomb of myriads; nor scaped nature the dire infection, chagrined, despairing grief, heaven dips external; inward a gnawing foe, a canker-worm, to eternity, hurries the deceived, the deceiving; impregnate ether, mingle vermilion, imperceptible, arms death, man, creep, cattle, fowl burdened, contaminated finny realm, long pavements ocean; enervate gales, ice pinioned, chill human, pull down the beautied system, nature, retard her divine operations, spit putrid disease, death; man no more, inspired communion, sacred presence, infinite majesty, intellectual expand his heights eternity, nor angels reciprocal joy, nor descant works Almighty Wisdom, dire inroad, imported hell; degenerate, intestine, tatters array, nor sonorous his mind, a pious thought uplift expressive adoration; eloquent the celestial visitant; he sang, a God of mercy, Deity the finger point Calvary, forfeited nature to the dust, regenerated the immortal soul, winged immortality, alights, realms everlasting bliss: ancient eras, Adam expelled Eden, an outcast to contend accursed soil, father Time, unnatural monster, pregnant death; Cain, Abel, Cain a tiller, Abel keeper of sheep, venerable forefathers, from whence innumerable labyrinths, peopling ten thousand worlds; one, the first-fruits, earth, t' other an eye inward, the distant Messiah, acceptance, met the divine reward; sin, tumbling upright Abel, an opening tomb, antediluvian, ancient, days, nations, people, unnumbered as desarts, as the starry firmament unnumbered; air, length days, vegetable, (earth

remains primeval beauty, unthought the heart to conceive,) majesty, strength, cities, empires to the stars, man, men, giants to war, battle, Cain, founder empire, Enoch his first-born, Enoch metropolitan, birth Lamech, his sons, Jabal, Jubal, Tubal Cain, Jubal inspired, that sang the muse's birth; lengthened, epochs, Adam, Seth, Canaan, Enoch, Methuselah, Noah, favored the Most High; memorable series, history, pregnant, eventful, people, tongue, realm, impious empire, estranged in heart from the true God; proud upward, sin's intruding career, hell let loose, demons thick, fiends the exposed terraqueous, aside all flesh, corrupt violence, despotic iniquity, darkness depraved, the Supreme, from his heights holiness, annihilation, retribution, glanced vengeance, earth beauty, ravishing spectacle, infinite variety, air pinioned bliss, heaven perfection, hue vegetable unsung, scents, richer fruits, her sons, daughters, strength body, the mind, the immortal soul, healthy, vigorous, expatiating heinous principle, contemn, Imperial Majesty, arrogant, empty presume, sin, deformed vice, either spectre train, obliterate all thought beyond the grave; Noah, divine taught, an ark, himself, his wife, sons, their wives, cattle, creep, winged fowl buoyant heaven, preserve impending woe; warned whole earth, extended, held forth the mercy of God, compassionate call, thou sinner return repentance; but the stubborn will, inexorable, contemn Almighty overture; Noah, his household, the floating ark, clean beasts, by sevens, of others two, male, female, of fowls, by sevens, the male, the female, keep alive seed, the face,

the earth, creeping, two every sort, food, preservation for man, for beast; a miniature world, by God shut in, Deity his protecting arm, his inward blessing, while earth, backward wheel, an awful chaos; the sun beckoning refulgent gold, blackness in lieu, horror plume, jammed thunders, pent hell, ready east, west, either pole, winged messengers Almighty wrath, arms to war, waves empyrean, air, earth, old Ocean, embattled, Deity burst gates, flood armed, the winds his awful fists, sullen, unutterable stillness, wrath vindictive, whirlspout seas, gigantic, and their command, forty days, forty nights, chaos, chorus, tempest yell, fury winds, thunder howl, strange, lightning roar, ocean agorge, rack, rock, Deity his foot the bare orb, his hand toward heaven, shook depths unfathomable, the higher heavens; died all flesh, life after extinct, man immortal swept an awful eternity; ocean alike destructive bosom, save selected few, by heaven caverned, dungeoned unsullied, while swam amazed ether, Noah, his household, and the floating world; memorable era, earth, spectacle, infinite wisdom, and immaculate goodness, cursed of God, death doomed, doomed hell, for iniquity, and rebellion; father Time, impeded chariot wheel, chaos, old Night, in turn terrestrial rein; hid the divine sun, the moon, temporary darkness, earth invisible, her chastened plane, what time, omniscient command, hush, be still! the east wind, proud his decree, unheard depositaries, a dry, chill blast, fed thirsty suns, heaven's sire inebriated, vapours innumerable, puffed beyond starry way; a fearful peep, the guilty world,

earth, beauty grew, nature her long lost echo, he pious song, haste, rapid pursues, what time, restrained the rain, what fountains the mighty deep, the windows of heaven; second creation, Noah, his wife, sons, family all, people earth's barren waste, lamentable, nor lives mellifluous breeze, nor vegetable pulp, inspired germ, nor serene breezes, utter defaced, death's visible footstep, father Time, axled, a grating career; Noah, built altar, the Supreme, rich in mercy, no more, an o'erwhelming flood, but harmonious, immortal, seasons shall everlastingly flow; blessing, increase, fruitful, multiply, the earth replenish, rainbow dip, a bow the heavens, to commemorate wisdom's decree; Canaan's history, heathen nations, cursed of God, for the iniquitous conduct, Ham, their father; what time the mighty Nimrod to battle, armies imperial, handing posterity, government, wholesome laws, Ashur, founder Nineveh, exultant to the stars, cities, grew nations, whole earth, one speech rebellious, impious, hope heaven assail, proscribe the limits, an Almighty arm, Deity, at a nod, impediment at will, led solitary, roam pitiable tribes; lengthened series, Terah, Abram, Abraham, father, myriads, blessed in him, all nations, his seed as sand, enstranded shores, as the starry hemisphere innumerable; Ishmael's dignified race, Sodom, Gomorrah, cities accursed, vengeance ripe, Deity, armed brimstone, swept an affrighted hell; Isaac, Esau, Jacob, Isaac's latter glory, Jacob's memoir, serving Laban, for his beloved Rachael; sons, sires, patriarchs of old, thee Joseph, ordained of heaven, save

the Egyptian empire; what persecute, promote, imperial, next sceptered thrones, destined the feeding his father, and brethren; Israel immortal, when passed the ford Jabbok, to meet his brother Esau; the patriarch's exit, serene as golden suns, azure vestibuled; thy departure Joseph, Job's epic muse, birth Moses, the ten plagues of Egypt, Pharoah's host unfathomable, what time, omnipotent arm, the Israelites from bondage, a cloud by day, pillar fire, by night, them sacred, while travelling the wilderness, Canaan's happier abode; communes the promise Abraham, Moses, Pisgah top, miraculous pass Jordan, Joshua embattled, drove nations at a ken; eventful, kings, empires, destruction ripe, God arm'd vengeance, to eternity, nor a solitary vestige; the land, divine hue, serene pasturage, flow milk, flow honey, yet rebellious peopled, Deity their iniquitous heads, bloodshed, utter discomfit; what cities erased, fire, war, the glitter blade, death, their border, midst, kings lay down golden sceptres, the rotund touched omnipotent finger, father Time, stood his golden chariot, to behold dire slaughter, heathen nations, whose impious imagination, vain as the lowest hell; cessation, parcelled lands, the Almighty, pencilled a boundary, their guide his chosen; the death Joshua, he descants, disobedient Israelites, slight heaven's sacred pleasure, an angry God, that permitted, enemies prevail; nations cruel, left, sift, prove, in battle, contracted device, one time the thirsty sword, then pestilent, chasten, subdue, compel acknowledge, who led them forth with mighty hand an outstretched arm, raising miraculous heaps,

nether depths; alternate, heavenward, bitter implore, Deity rich in mercy, his chastening rod recalls, deliverers, divine heroism, saviours their country, Othniel, Ehud, Shamgar, Deborah, Barak, veteran deed, chaste Jael; Gideon, Jepthah, men, mighty, serene their countrymen, led noblest war, peace, alternate, now rest, now disturbed rumour, victory, seraphic fame, evil again, left themselves, then again repentance, calling on God, what time, Samson, single handed the Philistine empire, his acts, heroic adieu, blind hurling, merciless enemies, an awful eternity; the birth Samuel, expressive histories, Naomi, Ruth; Samuel's integrity, prophet the Highest, now warned, now rebuked, servant of heaven; the anointing Saul, arrogant desires, unison leanness, irritable career, changeable, as disturbed waves, clashed ocean; Jesse's sun, till David born, his begun act, pious resignation, the death his inveterate enemy, civil commotion, intestine war, horror broil, such the link, David advance, regal dignity; God in council, God his guide, what heroic acts, to the eternal stars, Jerusalem mistress, all lands obeisance, heroes, chiefs, led immortal genius, war, inspired mien, shook boundaries distant enemies; his latter glory, exit serene, realms everlasting joy, as western suns, azure arrayed celestial gold; Solomon's magnificent reign, the temple, sanctum, sanctorum, silver, gold, divine epoch, surpassing ancient barbaric splendour; he ran the several reigns, to upright Asa, Jehosophat, war, conflict, victory charioted, muscular race death; Jehoram's wicked career, murderous walk, house Ahaziah, cold-

hearted glare, the impious mind; Joash, Amaziah, Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, the good Hezekiah, what omnipotent, an all-wise arm, bridle proud spirits; he sang the Jewish realm, Senacherib's cursed errand, a glance the Assyrian empire; Manassah, Amon, the pious Josiah, his acts, untimely end, what zeal, what sacrifice, to serve the Lord of Hosts, Judah's king, stern grasp Nebuchadnezzar, person, home, abject slavery, the realm utter defaced, an awful curse for impiety, and rebellion; history he sang: time's effervescent wheel, Messiah born, what prophets inspired that sang Immanuel's reign, God's only son, human, man, meet man, a mediator, man's only passport eternal happiness; with reverance let it be named, he sang redemption, concluding song, when light airy carr'd, beamed far the distant isle, seraphic light, that celestial, shot swift o'er infinite heavens.

BOOK THE THIRD.

AUSPICIOUS now, O virgin nature, on me your divine influence, while relating the surpassing beauty, this spot: Aurora, flung day, and veiled retiring stars; not a cloud, intrude atom, winds serene etherial thrones, old Ocean blythe, gambol fish, winged birds, exquisite harmony, earlier invigorate, strung fibrous either waiting nerve, new life the divine soul, celestial energy; becalmed the immortal voyagers, beheld sweep lustres, that as thought, traversed hemispheric; the vessel checked her career, western breezes, tiptoe waves, gentle, conduct her peaceful haven; no more swift propel, to his throne puff-blown east, make way southern gales, spicy pinions odours balm; ocean majestic, most refreshing gales, light airy carr'd, superior then, heaven's vast expanse ere kingly the monarch sun, to rouse, cheer dormant sens, men: morn rapid grew, a heavenly hue, tinged all the eastern border; nature aside her virgin veil, her song, her pious theme, air, earth, the jovial sea, the muse's

joy, the sun now risen, now on his way to gild the courts of heaven.

Meanwhile the hero, his divine friend, glide, near the immortal isle; ken headlong cataracts, milder stream, golden strands, sent from unfathomable, through past ages, washed the flow main, rest firm on terrestrial; meander vales, bush forests, verdure rocks, hue everlasting green, foot, climb, or adorned brow, 'loft azure, unfold seraphic scenery; intrinsic others, peep refreshing dawn, aspiring day, or sonorous eve, loud as blest voices, nor loiter the revolve, up, upward fragrant remotest ether, as the Indian seas, mariners on deck, snuff balm, wafted unseen shores; old Ocean sings, the grateful soul, long, lingering look, to distant clime, where heaven, where, nature smiles; incessant praise; trees reverant obeisance, a whispering din, inspired every hand, the sun, an exquisite beam, her virgin beauties, nature; plough the vessel homeward, when the hero, O thou on terrestrial errand, before us an isle, favoured of heaven; make known her domain, how undiscovered all ages, has father Time, around an awful barrier, or jealous either wind, ever sacred this peaceful abode? thou hero immortal, (in return,) before us Albion, eternally blest; midway 'tween the Canaries, the studded Inds, central 'neath heavens meridian, from everlasting, silent, blissful; ever a benign sun, ocean affectionate meander, gales intrinsic, a monument the opaque, defended more by winds, contra swell, than combined efforts myriad nations; central fame, ascent merit, glory within, Albion blest; nor chill, weary blast,

storms brew, or tempest sour, clime serene, as paradise of old; fruit fatten soil, harmony, joy, pious Aurora, her morning hymn, full blaze refulgence, or western limb, or twilight tinged seraphic gold, inspiring night, point venerable stars, suns of old, kenned as the solar immortal: homeward superb: entrance full front, an inlet key, when the hero, ere we land, or tread her hallowed site, let us around, circuit her strand, her chaste dimensions; then father Ocean, sat the helm, the winds ascend the yards, the sails expand; each on surround scenery, unfathomable beds, amazed machinery, why azure the moon, dig, scatter brack billows, careful healthy, earth's better half; and sung their career, nor lower atmosphere, or chagrin winds, inland, expressive nature, fruits golden, scents, hue, pulp, hidden germ, they point delightful scenery, cataracts, golden strands, trees majestic foliage, seraphic beams above, diviner shades below, where romp, where the muses reign, where nobler walks inspire; recesses bliss, shades gloom, the soul's repose, the eye lost beauty, landscape chaste, celestial ken; they sang thee parent earth, thy annual sweep, the sun by day, the moon her nightly course; rehearsing enamelled bursting springs, Summer's refulgent apparel, liberal Autumn, father Winter's errand to close revolving years; the praise, the glory, all hallowed, heaven's supreme; and now arrived entrance, their begun circuit, slumbering slept retiring gales; stillness extatic; the vessel majestic as the conscious swan, her liquid way, verdant o'er head embowered, serpentine, then at once, smooth lake, pure as heaven's azure; am-

phitheatral foliage, arabic gales, gratitude, joy, shooting across, and locked her adamant keel, diamond embedded; immortal theme, echo to deums, battle, eternal exploit, nor wanting vocal nature, her highest flight, heaven's monarch superb, winds expressive, silent muses, emblem rest, unchanging bliss; the hero, his celestial friend, land the blest isle, disengaged, central the vessel, locked golden anchors, marble below blocks, aloft enchanting breeze, Britain's divine shadow, streams ever to the wind: meanwhile the august visitants, at ease pursue an inland path; ocean no more enormous sweep, or heaven's immaculate field, exchanged, morn ambient suspend, sublime the sun, hasted his lounge meridian dome; hue exquisite, majestic scenery; songster's melody, and to extasy the listening soul; as a line, across the isle, yond ocean, 'mid verdant canopy, locked love embrace, check intruding beams, graceful lead the dance below; gratitude, fervent devotion, genial repast the human frame, blissful bowers, envied joy, repositories nature, her ivy climb, delicate entwined, aspire azure, worlds, sinless inoffensive, harmony, peace, immaculate beauty sight, balm sense, the hero, his divine friend, descant, dwell sacred domain, worthy a God, governor matchless evolution, insect revolve, animalculæ, float globes, labyrinth paths domestic, more immediate, imperial his everlasting throne the eternal Godhead: now their delighted view, the opening deep; stroll pebbled strands; exhilirating breeze, a dash furrow, serene either horizon, zen dipped refulgent gold; crystal display, mackerel

billows, old Ocean, lordly slumber, the sun his meridian gates, pleased her career obedient earth; heavenly mysteries, turbulent seas, why chained, despicable sand, wisdom's finer law, to bind the blustering element; why the moon, healthy unfathomable, toss, tumble purple beds, prepare invalued fluids, unison seraphic beams, on swifter wing, afar to refresh distant lands, living and refreshing showers; inland narrow winding paths, either hand, gigantic crests, towering rocks, peace, profound, afar degenerate earth, emblem bliss heaven shores, nor hovered infirmity human ills, nor fatigued frame, nor languish thought, an active principle the immortal soul, globule, fibred machinery, visible still, divine presence, when man communion his exalted Maker ere the ruinous fall; depraved man, born, live, an awful exit, scarce ope sublime folds, her book nature, wherein peruse God's nobler works, or ream his mind, starry spheres, dive earth, the fatherly hand that beneficent, wheels humbler circle; myriads life's human stage, nor glance their eternal passport, nor rouse from stupor dead, till death, his inexorable summons, conduct the presence, the bar, an immediate judge; inland at ease, the sun, canopied empyrean, refreshing gales, imperceptible, fragrant o'er head, bid seraphic beam, light, extatic day; alternate, expatiate, shades, shadow, gloom; what sable etherial, shuts the meaner sense, ope full bannered folding doors, ken starry heavens, God's outer court, and distant lawns; and now they arrive a cavern's mouth, entering 'neath net work, venerable ivy, listen its

rainbow, rivulets down trickling, steal echo's lost crystal sands, pebbled adieu; whispering winds, play gales, dall union, slumbering rest, or tune, die warbling; they sang the heavenly nine, muses immortal, Urania chief, sun, moon, revolving planes, outer sweeps, stars beyond, wisdom's divine lesson, pages stars, read thick innumerable; the hollow roof, rebound echo, rushed the ear; gothic everlasting ages, eternal quiet, save tiptoe murmurs, descant, earth hid, sombre realm, ebony darkness, the sun light, life, celestial joy, internal vitallic, unnumbered beauty, tribes ne'er seen by curious man, live lengthened, nor exhale, indulged nor ken seraphic beams; what omniscient, governor animalculæ, earth dissect, the hand, the wheel, that moves the eternal machine; flow lava central, horror ooze, Ætna, Vesuvius, belch Heckla; oceans stump thundering, rivers embedded, a broad way, wandering unfathomable; springs, purer pearl, fountains rock, strata soils, climes unsung, on these the illustrious visitants, ere an entrance pebbled grottos, enamelled pavement, upward azure opening, through the gothic sounding roof, perched winds, cataract flow, meander peace, and washed with fear, her virgin feet, fair nature's repose; sylvan recess, exquisite climb, light intrude empyrean apertures, animate breezes, romp whisper, sonorous bluster, 'normous bliss; seats ruder material, rough stone, marble veined, carpeted down, nature on her rampart embattlements, imperial her rock, her soil, her adamant realm; inviting murmurs, din inspired, grateful either insect tribe, seated the hero

descants past ages, sings rise, the fall empire; what antediluvian, Assyrian, Babylonian, leaders, kings, emperors, veterans war known, handed posterity; government, superior wisdom, architectural, Egypt, proof blast myriad ages, and ran the Jewish, Persian, Grecian, Roman empires, born, aspire, decline, father Time, his melancholy veil o'er human greatness; rehearse heroes, illustrious kings, poets that sang inspiring numbers, blinded, infatuate, divine honours, unknown gods, goddesses; a pleasing labyrinth, knowledge every hand, proceed, composed, conspired, lift homeward the soul; nor sour element, or disturbed mind, peace without, and peace within, judgment, harmonized affections; bounded, now terminated their cool repast, at ease ascend, nature precede, rude built, her steps misplaced, lovelier far than grace vestibule, palaces of old; adieu escaped the hero's lips, when upward, left the inspired recess; drill streams, innocent amain, hue, hymning divine fragrance, Deity's invisible hand, scattering immortal beauties: now heaven refulgent splendour, the sun etherial, his heights meridian, or rather earth, her rotund, full front, met the king of day, when the illustrious visiters, entered a wood, green carpetted, enamelled lawn, envied shades, known climes, eternal bliss; nature, her virgin train, each sister grace, each following muse, aloud her works, sung loftier strains, the glory her mighty empire; father Oak, bushy sires, sacred canopies, specimens wisdom, the fir enamelled ten thousand diamonds; the beech, the elm, sturdy chesnut, king cedar, walks, foliage, by heaven

designed, sultry clime, to shade his creature man: they walk on down, with outstretched arm, reverent, ennobled theme, nature robust, her stately works, they sang the nod that spake her illustrious birth; emerging this delightful recess, enter an orchard, full bloom, exalted rows, soil that golden fed, lost the eye, the mind expand, happy aisles, fragrant gales, unnumbered worth, infinite wisdom, immaculate goodness, juice, pulp, nectareous, food archangels, adoration sublime, the God of heaven, that paints the seasons, and the rolling year: the hero, his heavenly guide, emerging this blest retreat, pursue their way, o'er carpet sands, strands pebbled beauty; heaven's imperial monarch, lounged his golden throne; gales delightful, venerable ocean, playful winds, scenery sublime, a deep serene, and calmed the surges, the flowing mind; time golden, hymned as he passed; inland winding path, led the august visitants, entering an embosomed wood, sudden, lo, bursting, the view, a spacious lawn, exact square, a mile either hand, nature her flung foliage, beauty agaze, dipped topmost bloom; as down, superior repose, than carpets trod, ancient palaces of old, central an edifice, twelve pillars front, twelve ascent, marbled gold, alike east, west, north, south, aspiring dome, unseen opening, nature suspended basket, meandering her immaculate beauties; each ease, listen heavenly muses, chanting celestial theme, divine repast, reverential awe, snow glitter refulgent suns, nor Solomon, nor yore grandeur, amazed the hero, to his illustrious friend, how vast majestic; yon shaded pillars, perhaps indelible, the

worth empire, and renowned realm; he said; in return, his heavenly guide, O thou immortal, for thee this sight, this bliss, for thee, unnumbered beauties the passing day; I on terrestrial errand, to conduct realms eternal joy, heaven's pavement field, a powdered glow, a softer hue the moon, the sun her enamoured disk, jovial, unusual smile; ocean, serenest main, the winds rejoiced, the muses sang, yon azure pavement, sounding dome, ready echo, await thy coming, resound, resound, in living and everlasting strain: O holy advance, celestial lounge, away from earth, confused worlds, nor gazed awhile terrestrial; nature her banner, rapturous passing breezes, peace, emblem rest, arrived superb ascent, empyrean reflect, gem, sky writ, the refulgent sun, majestic egress his meridian gates, when the hero his divine friend, ascends broad way to everlasting fame; invisible quires, responsive, at hand, on high, distant, exquisite decline, sonorous cherred, known martial, battle, the trudge victory; a marble flight, writ divine worth, ennobled vigour, heroes, veterans, armies to war, here glows the battle, there fame seraphic blast, animate, four corners earth; some exit glory, others wound, rapturous their country; life, animate expressive, what time the opening campaign, cruel demands bloodthirsty war, empurpled seas, meandes briny billows, urged passing breezes; squadrons, smoke, combat, wrath death's wearisome vale, bulwarks the depths, others prizes, inimitable war, silence a melancholy veil, o'er the wreck death; depicted gold, empire, government, kings, heroes, inspired senate,

cities the stars, immortal edifices, living statues, breathing varied pedestal; the world, the busy world, golden fleets, nature her heavenly demean, her divine character, sacred muses, man, the rising generation, virgin peace, her celestial mien; pavement gold, seas liquid around, enchanting landscape, bounding ocean, yon horizon, as refulgent noon, enchanting hue the trees, smelt richness, variegated nature; heavenly diversity, how glows immaculate scenery, exclaimed the hero, what wisdom, perfection, earth, second heaven, when reigns full orbed supreme of day, on wings balm, breezy gales, serene tiptoe winds, and living thought, and nature gay, innocence, worth, emblem bliss, upper unchanging realms; O heavenly visitant, ere we its hallowed entrance, let us around; then my life, my past days, spent the service, my king, and country dear; he said; in return his heavenly friend, thou renowned, fame thee shall sing to latest posterity; inscribed in gold, the history thy country; her conquests, kings, heroes, each pillar, pavement, fretted walls, azure ceiling, Britain, her sway Britannia, to the stars renowned in everlasting deed.

Now may I be permitted to proceed: first ancient Britons, painted limbs, horrid plume, some lengthened hair, some skin of beasts, others terrific, in caves reposed, hideous dens, content live nature's simpler fare; Cæsar's landing, winds, waves roaring, inland uncivilized yell, arms toward heaven, exhaustless shriek; Caractacus, his stately mien, what battles fought, won, him captive chained to Rome, imperial

wins the proud monarch, on his golden throne; combat, pride, man, men, heroes, savages, either onward the path to immortal glory; Boadicea queen, the head her armies, chariots, as whirlwinds, rushing to battle, scythes, axle-trees 'mersed human gore; slaughter, heaps, death wound, amputated limb, yon the war burns, the battle glows, Romans resisting infernal onset, now give way, rally now, invincible commanders their men captivate, inspire push point, urge narrow paths, victory, immortality; the queen, her harangue, masculine advance, her impetuous onset, o'er tumbled slain, armed the spear, battle-axe, the murderous sword; reeked the soil human gore, Romans victorious, fame ascending golden chariot, seraphic blast, echo all lands, the stars of heaven; the queen, (beautiful delineated,) the frantic queen, more than mortal, forcing eternal barriers; nor alone mad brained war, sweet peace, warriors, chiefs, aside their arms, friendly sings of heroic deed, past din, tumultuous war; the Picts, the Scots, their cruel career, crossing the Friths, the rowers dash fury foam billows, blows living, confused halleo, seem echo surrounding heaven; marching armies, inflammable rout, rough stone, binding slime, what prodigious labour, a rampart wall, across the isle, to repel impious invasion; entrance defiance, Britons in woods, dreary mountains, hid merciless pursuers; nor wait the Saxons, overboard breast high, impatient wade pebbled shores; extended arms Vortigern, Hengist, Horsa, assembled heroes the isle Thanet, snuff ken approach wars; intestine scene, the Scots, the Picts, their own home dispatched unheard cruelty;

Ella, his part life's human stage, government, the wholesome laws; Cerdic, Kenric, Uffa, prince Arthur of immortal memory, twelve battles, rich wrought display, leader invincible, the dread hour battle, and his illustrious worth, enrolled bright records everlasting fame; Egbert, at Winchester, king England crowned, the people sings, the distant hills, around region, echo's eternal joy; nor spiral alone, on kings they tread, illustrious heroes, upward ken armies to battle, tablets peace, domestic bliss, conjugal love; the Danes, their inroad, merciless career, flame, devastation, whistling war, Ethelwolf as life, Ethelbald, Ethelbert, Etheldred; Alfred, founder the British empire, his struggle the Danes, worsted in battle, but his enemies the more perplex; his disguise, shifting very life, and now the vacant throne, now the sceptred saddle, thrusting his enemies, retrograde, a haggard train, billowed shores, agape oblivion; scribes parcelling the land, fleets abound billows, Britain her born hues hymning mellifluous; island, fine arts, the sacred muses beckoned from far; enforced laws, judges gibbetted detested hills; busy London, workmen, marble edifices, towering steeples, streets new built, merit, genius, princely reward exalted souls; Edward successor, Athelston, publishing scriptures immortal life, Edred, Edwy, petty protracted wars, Edgar, the purple Dee, himself leads golden way, eight vassal kings, imperial train, divine harmony, to streamers gay, loiter contiguous hills; Edward's tragic end, uplift cup, the demon assassin, trickling blood, Ironside Etheldred, Canute the brave, jargon wars, victory

the English, and now the Danes, hill the sea-beat coast, reproving worthless courtiers; Harold, Hardicanute, Edward Confessor; Harold, seats royalty, William at Pevensey, his begun march, etherial night, canopy heaven drew curtain, Aurora, and beamed the field of war, thousands their last, their final morn terrestrial; Harold on foot, William mounted; arrows as hail, battle-axe, hew sword, trampling horses, rack, rout, sounding retreat, Harold no more; William possession, divine display, at Westminster, crowned king, reverant his nobles, him swearing sacred laws, the land; continental war, bloodshed, rapine, Rufus, Peter, multitudes, roused, very courageous, the cause of religion; Rufus's death, the bounding arrow, Henry, the channel, the prince, the foundering vessel, shrieks, despair, men as statues, 'ere compelled the awful depths; Stephen, Matilda, her lords, her insisted rights, Stephen reinstated, the meddling clergy, their haughty demean; Henry, Becket's impiety, his deplorable end, quick the conspirators plunge remediless their victim's blood; the invasion of Ireland, war, conquest, Cœur-de-lion Richard, his martial battle, glory, the Saracens o'er hill, dale, Englishmen at Ascalon, astound foreign clime, infidel nations; Richard's untimely end, the quivering arrow, his fleshy shoulder, John's ascent royalty, Runnemead, most entatic scenery, the king, his nobles, barons, and now his pen ready dip, now he signs fained bulwark, England's freedom, and exalted liberty; Henry, Edward's career, skale hills, high mountains, the Welch, that contemptuous, laughed his every

approach; battle, rout, victory, fame, conquest, joy, annex new empire, England, and leaned her aspiring head, azure heavens; the Scottish war, Edward the field, imperial, lord and master, marching armies, slaughtered enemies, thousands slain, kings abject in train, Edward Carnarvon, Gaveston, Lancaster's ignominious exit, Edward successor, Mortimer's death, the castle that confined the guilty queen; Hillidown, Edward victorious, thirty thousand, his enemies, prostrate the awful waste; ocean majestic, squadrons, maritime tactics, voracious depths, greedy swallow astound enemies; chiefs, renowned admirals, thousands undisturbed possession, the lonely unfathomable; Edward's landing France, his aloud right, and seizure Caen, crackling flames, illumined skies, terrific career, trampling villages, towns, the gates their renowned capitol; the meander Somme, battle hostile, each opposed army, nor slumber at midnight, canopied devoted heads; plains Cressy, air animalculæ arrowed, suns drawn swords, warbling war, inspiring numbers, now trampling horses, now loud halloo victory; Calais, its manly resistance, the merciful queen, Percy, the restless Scots, Bruce, in triumph, the capitol to heaven resounding joy; Poictiers, youth hero, urging victorious car, John, imperial prisoner, through the English capital, glory redounding the honour, the British empire; Richard, Wat Tyler, undisciplined thousands, raging reform; the banishment Norfolk and Hereford, Hereford's return; Northumberland, Hotspur, Richard, at Milford, exchanged his crown, his splendid royalty, for confinement, and loss of liberty; Henry,

his civil, and turbulent reign, Hotspur, Glendower, armies assembled, to conquer or die, imprinted myriad brows; the king's victory, Northumberland his august presence, nobly the monarch, grants him pardon, and liberty; the fifth Henry, swearing sacred laws, the land, his fleet; their start, arrive Harfleur, land his veterans, strands pebbled beauty, for battle push on; the enemy his heights Agincourt, flush puffed, advance, stop short, serene, either listen, distant approach mad brained usurper death; warriors, battle noised, clash echo shields, broad sword, drawn woe, thousands sabred an awful eternity; tempestuous arrows ring bucklers gold, or misaimed, rebound, stick fast contiguous surfaces; commanders either their divine part, Henry the midst, acclamation rend distant stars, victory, fame, the tuneful nine, triumphant sang Britain, her monarch, her leaders, her armies, immortal, renowned in everlasting song.

BOOK THE FOURTH.

HEAVEN's refulgent sire, westward full sail, majestic when half way the hero, his divine friend: next the sixth Henry, his turbulent reign, feminine war, French territory, the sword-girded heroine, her hand a consecrated banner, masculine terrific, now heading a troop, now desperate a forlorn prisoner; wars tumultuous, sad train, disease, death; fiend-bannered rebellion, rapine, murder, Cade, his partisans, flight, discovery, ignominious end; Henry, strange commotion, the king a prisoner, 'mid mercy, affectionate enemies: Bloreheath, Wakefield Green, the death of York, Warwick, his hatred the Queen, energetic in council, as the glorious field; Edward entering London, acclamation rend listening heavens; his harangue Towton, friends, brethren the combat plain, astray human passions, nor listen penetrating call, the cry, demand mercy; hungry voracious blades, death feeding greedy tombs, the king sent the tower, his queen pinioned escape, dishevelled her hair, now she wades

purple billows, anxious reach the opposite shore; war, peace alternate, kindled worse passions, cold-blooded mien, skulking path impious, dæmons dire; the fourth Edward, his project invasion, Gloucester, arrest Hastings, resounds the hall, men armed fill dread, dismal passages; Richard enthroned, princes the blood, unnatural smother, nor funeral rites, them decent the silent tomb; Buckingham, in Wales, at Gloucester, adverse elements inundate around hills; disbanded his forces, an outcast, his woeful, and lamentable end; the landing Richard, Bosworth's field, Richard the sable arms death, heaven echoes live long king Henry; his union Elizabeth; Lovell, the disaffected Lincoln, arm, in arm, entering eternity; Perkins, adherents cursed, the worn axe, fatigued executioner; alternate, sheathed the awful sword, peace, divine arts, reigned heavenly muses; Henry's death, the eighth Henry, pompous armies, the able Wolsey, his dying bed, hands uplift, despairing adieu; national feats, muscular energy, friends, tawdry foes, inland commotion, ruddy flame, unfeeling tyrants; Cranmer, the exitmonarch, the sixth Edward, his protector Somerset, Mary Queen, her crowned entree, Northumberland's end, Lady Jane, the innocent Dudley, Latimer, Ridley, forges infernal, Calais reduced, acclaim, delighted enemies; Elizabeth, father Ocean, chagrined, burdened tremendous sail, gloom wrapt revenge, Howard, Drake, Hawkins, Forbisher, the stretched enemy from sea to sea, hell wombed, thirsty to drink, dæmon reel, full draught, precious Britannian blood; their lordly gait, defeat, discomfiture, thundering broad-

sides, heaven upward illumined, thrown ope portals, entrance hell; some embraced fire, others inanimate tomb depths, Englishmen, rear, midst, armed tempests, Erubus of old, fury winds, lightnings, thunder, roar, that split the brazen poles; compel leaders, accursed thousands, splunge awful depths, aloud, ye unfathomable, us hide from more than mortal wrath; Tilbury, Elizabeth, heading her forces, harangue to be desired, animate, inspire, sing ancient exploits, renowned forefathers; James king, rnffian Fawkes, Carr, Villiers, the nobler Raleigh, Charles, the Spanish war; Buckingham's demise, his sudden, and awful adieu; broiled the nation, worst scene, Edgehill, Roundway, Marston Moor, the king, the parliament, Nasely fiield, Rupert, Astley, Fairfax, Skipper, the gallant Cromwell; Charles's last campaign, his surrender, trial, end untimely, affectionate balm, trick fast, from weeping thousands; Cromwell's success, Ireland, Scotland, young Charles, safe French territory, a significant smile, past danger; Blake, Mediterranean, at Leghorn, Algiers, the sultry Tunis, valorous burn crowded shipping, bomb blow combustible, prodigious ramparts, the enemy, surround hills, muse abject aghast, the pitiable scene; Cadiz, the Canaries, capture immense wealth, huge bulwarks, spunging the mighty deep; Charles entering London, surrounding acclaim, long live king Charles, Dutch conflict, bloody battle, emaciate carcases, bubbling life, vermilion billows; James, Monmouth's rebellion, the memorable Sedgeworth, William's arrival Torbay, his retinue, and followers, veterans their march to battle, victory; Wil-

liam, and James, the banks, meander Boyne, the one, the other, harangue, the carnage that ensued; James's flight, narrow escape, William triumphant, peace, peace, Ann, her declaration war, Marlborough chief, depicted conflicts, Blenhiem, Ramilies, Oudenarde, bloody Malplaquet, (pavement, spiral, overhead,) men, heroes, efforts divine gasping for existence; Ocean, on his Atlas shoulders, her bulwarks Britain, Cloudesley Shovel, the immortal Rooke, singing foreign seas, their empire's glory; landing the perilous mole, horrid precipices upclamber, compel sword in hand, an instant surrender; England, her senate, welfare the nation, Great Britain, as ten thousand rockets, rushing the stars, beyond her topstone encrowned everlasting joy; George of Brunswick, king Great Britain, and Ireland; petty rebellion, the Pretender, his despicable routine, march, harass, skirmish, embarkation Gravellines, congratulating his good fortune, and escape; the second George, his right hand Walpole, the Spanish war, Vernon, entering Porto Bello, lion roar artillery, flames ruddy, innumerable embers sail empyrean, thick as autumnal starry heavens; Anson, doubling Cape Horn, burning Payta, tribes distant amazed superior discipline; arrive Tinian, Santa Cape, victory, fame, sublime those afar seas; Dettingen, George in person, his forces, movement, groan bridges, heroism, despair, a watery tomb; elements embattled, lightning, thunders, unison apparatus immortal man; the French, intrigue Spaniards, Saxe, his dishonour, disgrace, old Ocean, aloud his disastrous defeat; Fribourg besieged, encom-

passed the strong town Tournay: Britain, burst flame rebellion, loud clang, arms to war, defend the realm, from impious assault; Preston Pans, the Pretender, at Carlisle, at Chester, his retrograde return, crossing rivers Edens, Solway, empty parade, void national barriers, the firmer pillars; Cumberland, Culloden-hills, cleanse the empire, insult, petty disturb; surrounding hills the gibbet, rebels their forfeited blood, shagged nature's rugged array, more dreary by the rude blast, seraphic trump, resounding war; nor alone the old world, lo distant new, Britain, her leaders, her armies, immortalized to the stars, fearless savage settlement, scale rocks, wade rivers, penetrate inhospitable forests, defiance man, roar beast, hideous elements, fiery poles, flaming glory, Indies east, chiefs, nabobs, reverant acknowledge the august mother realm; Cape Breton, Fort du Quesne, order battle, adamant artillery, thunder, combustion, bombs sent the heavens, down burst dread magazines, horrors infernal, darkness, deafness, petrified the mind, divine reason awhile confused, her celestial throne: Amherst, Crownpoint, Ticonderago, marched the victor, instant possession, Prideaux, Johnson, storming French batteries, defiance gigant cataracts, Wolfe Abraham heights, fall Montcalm, hungry artillery, thirsty bayonets, leader invincible, his presence, harangue, his march to victory, immortality; death led reverant, as passed the broad barrier, to everlasting glory; capture Quebec, surrender Guadaloupe, conquering amaze, England superior all her enemies, invincible, humane, elevate serene empyrean, to close

the sublime history, Britannia the last pillar, the hero, his heavenly guide, muse delighted, the triumphal picture; her seated, ivory golden throned, on her head, liberty, liberty divine, her right hand the shield, her left the invincible spear, genius her eye, a virgin mien, commerce, the world her sacred feet, 'round heavenly muses, chaunt everlasting sublime her adorable presence.

'Twas dawn, meridian eve, the sun azure vestibuled, and waved adieu retiring worlds; and now the hero his heavenly friend enters; most holy, nor asphaltus suspend, as the sun, his meridian glory, light as day, infinite display, center, (crimson velvet, tasselled the golden floor,) a marble table, either end, superior repose, worthy kings, emperors, palaces of old; upward majestic dome, sky opening, full view, nature her suspended basket, meandering seraphic beauties, scents higher born, heaven dips the verdant hue; around historic series, Britain, her monarch, rulers, armies, bulwark navy, king George on his ivory throne, queen, heir apparent, York commander; Pitt, Fox, nobles, revered dons, lords magnificent, heroes immortalized, Rodney, Howe, Jervis, Clive, Cornwallis, peers, the twelve judges, equitable courts, upright benches, arraigned the meanest peasant, safe bannered 'neath his country's protection; commerce basaltic Indian, ocean Pacific, her metropolis mistress whole earth, all nations her friendship, yea tributary, as refulgent deities, nocturnal round heaven's eternal starry dome; Oxford, and Cambridge, seat the eternal nine, anxious foreign clime, tutor the Indian, his passport

sign, bid ascent realms everlasting felicity; sublime heroism, conquering east, Havannah west, isles very alarmed, abject unsought; Aboukir, Copenhagen, glorious scene Trafalgar, (startled, amazed the hero,) L'Orient the heavens, thunders the stars, appal depths, earth awhile checked, harmonious hinges, her mellifluous revolves; characteristic immortal prowess, brazen clang victory, death myriad shaped, shades as the tomb, the mindserene to battle, its element, glory; Nelson, pleasing view, then seated, his heavenly friend opposite, O thou immortalized, I on illustrious errand, all hail, when rang thy fame, duty sacred, king, country, and to battle, subdued audacious enemies; but ere terrestrial exit, ere heaven our willing feet, rehearse thy life, run race, thy mortal existence.

He said, reseated; silence awhile, live moments inspired; kingly at ease, the hero arose not; from his golden couch, majestic sublime oratory, hail heavenly messenger, obedient thy command: in the north seas, the government of Britain, sought a track, the Indies east, would the elements permit; to explore the inhospitable clime, two vessels, the Racehorse, Carcass bombs, steered veteran commanders, Phipps, the gallant Lutwidge; indulged, I in the latter; nor the thought father Winter, the terrible pole, check youth ardour, eager fan nobler flame, hardy case my limbs, with manly strength; iron-bound vessels, either womb, friendly supply, repel blasts northern hemisphere, solitary snows, and eternal frosts; the destined breeze, bulge canvas, a parting sigh, leaving friends, sacred bosom, my venerated country; northward memorable

run, full view, the gilded pole, heaven's immaculate star; and now farewell south breezes, make way chill blasts, serene region Shetland, Muffin, perilous confine, Spitsbergen land; isles immemorial, undisturbed, save rattling echo, intervals redound, thundering summits unseen, headlong bellowing the brazen north; hitherto joy, delightful run, ocean jovial, exotic birds, fish flying, playful seas, we calculate excesses, new range the pole, now paths untrodden; but ah! unfeeneen, lowering skies, shift winds, empt hollows, gloom curtained ether, descend snows, driven sleet, night hideous, ocean chill, nor majestic, on his lucid shoulders, rowled the purple towering billows; fiery winds, jammed the terrific main, nor any deliverer, terror woke all hearts, death horrid astride, seem dilatory at a distance; horizons cloud capt eternally arrayed everlasting snows, the sun no longer life, no longer heat, moonless adieu, continents, realms, fields pavement, father Winter, a despotic tyrant on his brazen throne; this our dilemma, when Phipps, hail, brave fellows, arise, enliven your hearts, the mind infinitely superior difficulty, when inward reflection, summon immortal prowess; each at his post, to remove impediment, and if the will of Heaven, that we perish, let it be in the hour of industry; he said, swift obedience; some chap their iron feet, nimble overboard, others hand the saws, some converse which way the wind, saw, dig, extricate from impending death, jovial each crew, manly blows, thundering pickaxe, murmur surrounding heaven; meanwhile myself, fellow comrades, hoist overboard the boats,

them after drag, dowry, whether invited my opening, and in what quarter we may direct a passage; benumbed, frost bent, alarmed activity, promote heat, those death begat realms; arrive a creek, a narrow sea, gently down the boats, then each a perilous jump, congratulate his good fortune, safe embarked, nor plunged horror destiny; the paddling oar, dash solitary, a solemn echo, friendly the thoughtful mind, sunned regions, nature never clad virgin, or heard her exquisite theme; lifeless abodes, father Oceus, perpendicular o'erhang nether stars, snow cept from measurable, everlasting ages; through petty creeks, glide streams, ridges either hand, mountains inaccessible, fields pavement, sublimity beyond, toward the poles, amassed snows, and unknown heavens; adieu the lamp of day; labyrinth bewildered, we skim dread surfaces, nor knew what quarter, reposed the venerable ships; anxious concerned, some land the strand, others upslumber, hands, knees, wishful around, unseen Ursa Major, pointers punctual the eternal polestar; one time before the wind, then stem rude currents, pious resigned the will heaven, our fate with enemies, hostile foes, the elements, the vital air, savage bears that whelped the inhospitable clime; 'twas dead nocturnal, dismal echo! our hearts sudden fear, our hair an end, amazed, growl, answer groan, we check our course, lay on our oars, some urge, backward flight, others quiet repose, then myself, rising midst my fellow mates, fellow countrymen, up, the moment, nor backward retreat, or quiet still, arms to war, I rout, chase, yon horizon around; each

armed his musket, sang reward heroes, renowned ancient immortal song; hardships no more; our toes, finger ends, genial glow, a merry row, dash midnight, veteran proceed, mid bellow, hideous yell, terrific clime, precipiced death; a hardy crew, on polar seas, smiling the grave, hollow tombs, lifeless the air, animalculæ void, essential existence, and the human frame; onward sped; silent dapple heard on our right, savage beset, we aim, fire! instant routine, and scarce prepared, when attacked every hand, rapacious bears, rivetted revenge; decided conflict, lightning gleam, musket roar, as heaven's imperial canopy, when sultry clouds, forth burst infernal inmost; some bellow, dive leaden depths, some sullen float, others embolden, burn reek revenge, manly display, buttend, we batter oxen sides, sounding skulls, long hollow echo, belaboured dire region; bravo, the defensive, each his post, as veterans old Ocean battle; compel some the depths, others vermilion, moan, lick cut wounds, some overlaid wounds, gore, spout blood, interim advanced a solitary bear, his teeth fast hold the slender keel, monstrous heave, crew, all sublime, ambient suspend, sudden down, horrid jar, splash silver foam; then to my brave comrades, I, I will meet this antagonist; instant a leap overboard, armed my bare musket, swim seas deceitful, his heels apace, achase, up adamant strands, myself dilatory, from cragged precipices; and now o'er pavement pearl, halloo! return thou monster, merited meet thy determined doom; t'was night, profoundest gloom, darkness enthroned, death chilled the air, a solemn echo,

lingered the expanse; o'er mounds, rude hillocks, one time nearing then sudden obliged plunge death stream; full chase, final, forlorn effort, the breathless animal, bounds an ice isle, ascends in haste a monstrous berg; military routine, the leisure aim, the shaft death, tumbled his huge carcass, contiguous billows; triumphant, canopy heaven, victory, ne'er before heard that desolate region: solitary around, still as nature, when whirlwind heavens, their roar, their jargon cease; 'twas night, etherial pomp, and horror reign, which way direct my wandering steps, what quarter my beloved comrades, bewildered, lost, muse, turn, unseen the immaculate star, stationed the sublime heavens to wheel the rotund, her everlasting career; clamber pearl masses, snuff dread element, listen dreary winds, aloud, aloud, friends, countrymen! friends, countrymen! hear, and assist; an anxious listen, nor answering voice, haste hither, thither, plunge narrow sea, buffet adamant billows, land pavement strands, up brazen mountains, curse father Winter, disheartened, this way, that, nor knew the track, my beloved comrades; very alarmed, pensive, still, horror achill, trembling nerves, dilatory veins, loose jaws, chatter teeth, benumbed, hands, feet, despairing effort, and am I destined here to die? ne'er again friends, the sacred borders endeared Britain? ah, me cut off in youth, to repose my limbs, the bare ice, a prey savage beast, heavens forbid; O thou Almighty, down in mercy, if sovereign will demands, to thee my life, leaning on all-sufficiency; vouchsafe heavenly father, hear, and forgive; restore in safety, that years future,

and afar, to thee, the sacred demands my beloved country; scarce on the wing this ardent prayer, when sudden a voice, hail, stranger! has shipwreck thrown this dreary domain, that thus I hear, thy distressed moan? startled, I turn, and scarce with joy human divine feature, when quick by the hair, entwisting around his sinewy arm, awhile unfriendly, dragged me on marble plains; I command cessation; acute my extremities, electrified the system, affectionate speech, accompanying tender regard, from his side a pouch, strengthening cordial, alight my shoulders, rich downy fur; him garbed the costume his hardy realm, bound leathern girdle, huge buskins, on his head, an elegant cap, close fitted, fur inward, lined velvet fur, the skin some valued arctic, proof searching blasts, those dreary and inhospitable regions; haste, thus he bespeaks; now my friend, let us be moving, thee Britain born, safe ill restore, bosom thy countrymen, the topgallant yesterday, glorious awave the retiring sun, seeking southern his metropolitan realm; but now lovely youth, since night retarded wheel, Aurora dilatory, mount her golden car, rehearse thy birth, thy hitherto career, what thee led, thy countrymen, borders our land, say, silence sweetly will smooth rugged paths, till peep revolving dawn; then grateful, in return, O thou, that snatched me from hideous jaws death, what recompense, or how fully compensate, not life spent thy service, nor the wealth the vast Inds, can suffice, never, no; o'er midnight snows, horrid precipices, fearless the assistance, a stranger? since you desire my short history, gladdened I begin,

thou lead the way, thou terrestrial morning star; know then exalted stranger, Burnham Thorpe, my native spot, there first I drew the vital air, era Autumn, war, triumphant series, European, American back; health, growth, reason expand, memory retains a nation's joy, her pinnacle glory, my lisping tongue her rapturous theme, seem to catch a glorious flame, king, country, bulwarks, her eternal constitution; youth, many a happy hour, wishful the future, haste rolling years, seasons revolve emulation, through worldly occupation, attain upmost branch, glory's height, everlasting fame; tutored with care, the existence an o'erruling providence, a holy Being, infinite, eternal, man's utter dependence, the air I breathed, my every want supplied; virtue, morality, excellence real religion, England, her national character, love my God, my neighbour, maintain inert dignity, when enemies provoke, swell becoming prowess, to battle, honorable the sight of heaven; my right as reasonable man, glory the king of terrors, an immateriality, superior him, the divine sun, innumerable worlds, that swim heaven's bespangled region: time to pass, destined the Reasonable, the wide world; my hands bricld, bid upright, my heart, bid laugh silent tombs, noisy powers earth, hell, first father Thames, stress magnificence, wealth, pomp, storthouse the world; on Medway's stream, land a bulwark, led immortal genius, farewell my country, and now the billowed orb, new foreign seas, my every fortitude, to withstand the turbulent deep; alternate theme, the sun by day, the moon her virgin course, the refulgent pole,

heaven's powdered zenith, what turbulent billows, the mysterious magnet, buffet gales, loud whistle winds, nature unknown, unheard her rural lay, old Ocean's domain; arrive my native shores, 'gain sail the Caribbean, to protect the commerce my country; one time becalmed, pinioned another, furious upsent, precipitated unfathomable, lightning, thunders, beset whirlwinds; return Chatham, note bedded rocks, sands, rugged points, deceitful surfaces; fourteen years youth revolve, when by order, the English government, two vessels were appointed, steer your northern seas, invade untrodden realm, and a passage explore, the Indies east; with joy on board, case iron nerve the scarce built frame, and the soul inspire to hardened danger; heaving bosom, leaving England, farewell blessing, first for her, then safe return, crowned with immortal fame; blythe northern, suns sublime, slept purple billows, Aurora, her pious hymn the opening dawn, beckoning refulgent meridian; twilight serene, led on the myriad host, heaven, and heaped with stars, as sand deserts, strands eternal, leading heavens everlasting joy; bliss onset, nor keen cut winds, rude ocean, sombre refulgence, or midnight curtain, whispering breezes, nature a virgin trip the extatic domain, built hope, we roam successful eastern clime, Kamsckatkan realm, yea seas begirt the brazen pole; but ah! the coming, man, the future blind; farewell peace, blissful suns, earth's enormous bulge declined the fleeting day; night, presage storm, tempest sleet, hideous region, fiery winds, and burning sleet, no more exalted canopy, horizons hung azure, give way suspicious fogs; Boreas as a scroll rolled

up the lazy slumbering billows; we feel the shivering change, downcast, forlorn, aghast bergs, death chill climic, nor life, nor genial, friendly existence; descending snows, benumbed seas, nature unable her exquisite voice harmonious around heaven; nor Aurora elevated her purple chariot, nor refulgent gold, nor heard the heavenly nine, chanting celestial mysteries; each vessel terrific jam, hideous alarm, when our leader, hail, brave fellows, arise, enliven your hearts, the mind infinitely superior difficulty, when inward reflection, summon immortal prowess; each at his post to remove impediment, and if the will of heaven, that we perish, let it be in the hour of industry; he said, nor wanting; either, active energetic, as renowned heroes, their march to victory, immortality; some the bare ice, others hand the saws, heaven awhile reechoed, thundering blows, contented songs, industrious crews: meanwhile myself, a select few, hoist overboard the boats, them afar drag, see whether invited any creek, point signal, a favourable opening beloved countrymen; horses in exertion, in mind as men; arrive narrow sea, push, plunge boats, embarked, skim winding stream, a paddling row, resigned the will heaven; nor solitary long, lo! hideous yell, startled, we lay on our oars, advise whether measure back run distance, or slumber becalmed, till peep of dawn; some one, some another, then to my brave comrades, friends, countrymen! up the moment, nor backward retreat, or quiet still, arms, to war, I rout, chase yon horizon around; discipline array, harmonious, tuned deeds heroes, their names inscribed bright re-

cords everlasting fame; darkness meridian, savage beset, a random aim, the rattle that alarmed the brazen poles; some plunge adamant pavement, others retreat, huge, rude, a few courageous the attack, nor retired, till blood, spout gore, death his brute errand, seal their eyelids everlasting oblivion; butt-end, we belabour oxen skulls, respect minute movements, each other animate, our souls inspire; cessation, declining din, as the dread field battle, when heard victory, sonorous 'gan blow, the melancholy waste; unexpect a solitary bear, fast hold our slender keel, his teeth enormous grasp, prodigious effort, uplift crew, all, down tremendous jar, splunged, threaten inglorious adieu; then, instant a leap overboard, me to meet this terrible invader, armed my bare musket, buffet death billows, quick his heels, land an opposite ridge, the pursuer, the chased, halloo monster! merited meet thy inevited doom; o'er mountain snows, dire precipices, plunge marble rivulets, clamber, dive, slip and slide, the lifeless canopy that at intervals, wild chaos laugh; the huge brute, a despairing effort, bounds on a mountain ridge, military routine, the leisure charge, the fatal aim, tumbled headlong his panting carcase, the silent depths; anxious around, intent, listen still winds, aloud my brave comrades, but in vain, disheartened, bewildered, nor knew retrace my steps, lost sublime station earth, hid upward bespangled hemisphere, the eternal pole; dilatory nature, through creeping veins, loose jaws, chatter teeth, extremities benumbed, hands, feet, as senseless marble, a stupid veil, o'erdimmed each visual; alarmed, with outstretch-

nd arm, and am I destined here to die, ne'er again friends, the sacred borders, endeared Britain? ah! me, cut off in youth, to repose my limbs the bare ice, a prey savage beast, heavens forbid; O thou Almighty, down in mercy, if sovereign will demand, to thee my life, leaning on all-sufficiency; vouchsafe heavenly Father, hear, and forgive; restore in safety, that years future and afar to thee, the sacred demands my beloved country; then gracious, thy heavenly voice; this my short history; but do thou, as night lingers, and Aurora dilatory yon mount her purple car, rehearse thy country, and abode, time sweetly will glide, while thou recitest; him a quick answer, thou youth, contiguous my home, the solemn clime my peaceful country; venerable forefathers, nor learnt the dire art of war, nor taught the rising generation, nor heard embattled trump, arms to war; harmony, love, domestic bliss; nature her original dignity, we live in peace, sing the eternal seasons, and the rolling year; no burning sun, no fiery wind, sultry, or pestilential blast, right named, a muscular region, to contend the brazen poles; despotic Boreas on his iron throne, forcing his subjects, 'neath rocks, 'neath caverns gloom; afar from genial clime, wanting unnumbered beauty, earlier Aurora, refulgence, serene eve, stillness, or songsters echoing rill, or becalmed ocean, when dance the fragrant winds, romp azure billows, nature aside her snow dipped veil, wanton to bestow angel smiles; these ever wanting; yet sublimer lesson, alone arctic perused, rainbow horizons, mineral seas, venerable winter, jasper architect, magnificent built

temples, leaning snow-capp'd the stars of heaven; empyrean school, and gems of gold, eternal beauty; the queen of heaven, we view her hills, her azure billows; if azure billows flow, and the strange land, impregnate soil; scenery sublime, chanting in silence, divine mysteries; O most holy, worthy a God, us inward, peace, passing the will, sends his messenger death, conduct serene, havens everlasting joy; but see yon distant glimmer, afar limbning the top gallant? then farewell affectionate.

BOOK THE FIFTH.

Now morn the southern horizon, backward receding twilight, retrograting steps my illustrious friend, before me Aurora, the peeping top-gallant, and the opening dawn; as the wind, my way o'er pavement seas, gratitude, adoration an all wise hand, that benign the soul released from threatening danger; thou omniscience, enthroned heights eternity, heaven of heavens survey, starry outlet, earth, me, sent thy northern messenger to rescue from the jaws death; I muse the works exalted deity, ever a vertical sun, ever the depth pious midnight, eternal wheels revolving dawn, blissful eyes that await never setting suns, realms snow-powdered as around me, stiffened poles, starry gems, everlasting, sing infinite wisdom; night hasty adieu, morn rapid grew, visible azure heavens, the lower masts, and now the inhabited hull, methinks distant voices endeared countryman; afloat extended arms, nor unobserved, quick seen the pious signal, heaven harmonic, neither horizons echoed eternal joy; some hasting meet, others

prepare repast, a most affectionate embrace, rehearse in tears, precarious run the preceding night; lament, aloud lament, given o'er for lost, unfortunate countrymen.

Meanwhile, the vessels still adamant detained, the industrious crews, saw solid blocks, grate harsh thunder affrighted surfaces, keen razor winds, barriers impenetrable, closed every opening, hideous realm, plains pavement, or enormous, warred, on the squeezing hand Boreas; northward as the eternal Andes, seen from far; alarm justly, wretched fogs, vitriol frost, sedentary glow, unusual ether, burning winds, opening tombs, silence death, save pickaxe, heroic shaves, that at intervals, disturbed desolate region; time swift as thought, dispatched the seasons, as unchained, shades terrific darkness: meanwhile, returns a party, extended arms, sung an opening west, pointing yon heavenly horizon; overboard the boats, some canvass bags, other important necessaries, downcast each busied, parties afar with plummet line, through gaping chinks, sound the dread seas profound; nor long detained the dreary prison, Deity, southern bid liberate, rescue impending death; the before statue vessels, majestically sublime, surrounding sea, 'normous crackages, the varied crews recalled, trim aloft, the bulge that athirst, drank greedy passing winds; we contend awoke elements, ice anchors heave timid vessels, dangerous beset, horrid jar, sonorous jam, all hands on the alert, scouts, signals, intelligence, which the drift, what vast unthawed fields, what quarter a favourable opening, impenetrable fogs, realms death

contained, seasee the seasons, nature never her rural harmony, nor the benign sun, smiles the dread dead domains, time to pass, becalmed an extensive bay, if such when the brazen deep embrace; unnumbered dip, divine hue, smooth unsullied surfaces, velvet snows, peels, encrusted ice; up genial winds, wrestle either vessel, bandied, bebattered, a massive anchor suspended the ship's sides, snapt as a thread the very centre; unshackled at length, we rode superb old Ocean's imperial empire; serene asteer, coast ice rock shores, caverned, perpendicular, northward, westward, eastward, oft rash inward, scarce escape imminent peril; hazardous the extreme, when signal, aloud summons, Phipps, eloquent harangue, dwells the inhospitable clime, hoary Boreas, father Winter, a despotic lounge adamantine poles; what chill, threaten slumber, dimming powers the immortal soul, he dwells reasonable duty, nor prudent remain, wage useless war, fiery elements, bid homeward, destined ere long, other theme, grace the roll, illustrious heroes, everlasting fame: farewell arctic, languid adieu, when the vessels their southern start; Smeerenburgh first; her majestic anchorage, the crew's celestial rest, embalm repose after their perilous voyage; responsive muse, stillness desired, unusual dawn, hasty retire eve's, midnight solemn, friendly the thoughtful soul, sacred clime, nor man, beast, insect, nature unseen, unheard her heavenly chant, regions sublime, swum mountain, from whose lily fillets, torrents amain thunder around canopy, deafening, distracted surge; shall the master hand Deity

be wanting? rainbow diversity, silver horizons, crimson vermilion ether, scenery divine, unknown, ne'er read temperate, lower relaxing torrid clime; we skim purpled billows, washed sea, azure beauty, nor monster bergs, terrific jam, east cut winds, our backs the bleak north, land! land! hail blest territory, harmony, cheer, canopied heavens scarce holds sumptous joy; an easy sail, and now enlarged rapturous scenery, busied shores, bustling strands, feelings divine, such as mariners feel, arrive Orfordness, grateful heaven, safe return from imminent peril, death buffet billows, the hideous pole: fame clarion, a sailing squadron, the Indies east, irritable limbs, an ardent pant, longed explore refulgent clime, wonders opposite nature survey; the fleet conducted the brave Harvey, a birth the Seahorse, farewell my country, and now the vast, the mighty deep; stationed watch the foretop, at times the quarter deck, day, night, alternate, calm serenity, empyrean schools, mellifluous charm, balm breeze, winning zephyrs, exquisite relief, flow ocean, rouse, swell, pinnacle suspend, the vessel afar, celestial visit; our commander the merited advance, me youth honour, immortal renown; jovial round the table corner, sail Indian, drink full draught enormous bliss, linger the vessel, azure meridian gold, passing birds, fish, venerable fathers, Bengal, to Bussorah, O what expanded clime, nectareous hue higher dip, extatic fragrance, shades to be desired, eloquent recesses, night divine harmony, warbling songsters, and immortal man: eighteen months in India, but ah! inroad, cruel disease, dry up springs bracing health, healthy,

athletic, when left my native shores, and scarce an inmate the torrid zone, o'erpowering day, surcharged atmosphere, relaxed exquisite texture, the human frame, dependant extremes the immortal soul; a sinking youth, assured my countrymen, Pole, Troubridge, others proof the clime, vigorous, inert, seasoned digestion, 'mid verticle suns, prodigious force heavens; forlorn, smothered ambition, my services a burden; when sudden a radiant beam, as shot etherial skies, spontaneous theme, shall I an everlasting adieu, I who feel no pain, harmonious flow vital functions, unfatigued still their divine career? awake my soul, thy humble petition; O thou supreme, in mercy restore; bless means, rouse oppressed ardour, lead unerring paths, that future, thy honour, king, and country, her sacred demand; a voice! return thy native shores; respire at ease, lounge nature her verdant scenery, her retired divinity, free from cares, repose stretch pinion powers; that never to be forgotten moment, patriotism withheld, destined Old England, sailing the Dolphin, accompanied blessings, our affectionate, and worthy commander; jovial propelled; reverant passed the princely mansion, the glorious sire of day: and now the tropic barrier, now on milder sea, 'gain recruit, Britain friendly mortal constitution, embosomed Burnham, 'mid bustle heard from far, me, prudent inactive, the bit, the bridle rein, curb restless desire, recruit lost strength; intellectual the mind, of law, government, historic my country, her wars, heroes, illustrious achievments, read sublime pages, her eternal folios; delightsome theme, to steer the worlds wide maze, wage war inward corruption,

ardent paths virtue, at command of death, the outer man, serene put off, alight celestial confine, plains heaven, everlasting rest: times unerring wheel, lieutenant the Worcester, led the immortal Robinson, under sailing orders the rapid Gut; (leader distinguished, a youth entering the navy, commanding the Falcon, 'fore Guadaloupe, 'mid thunder roar, that shook the startled poles;) unsteady run; boisterous paths, project points, empt hollows, deceitful bays, buoyant fortresses, waft merchandise, passing, repassing, yonder world, enrich industry, joy; happy the conduct our leader, me inspired through either midnight, a perfect knowledge fluctuating seas; manhood scarce built, seven years conversant father Ocean, and now promoted second the Lowstoffe, sailed Jamaica, most sublime passage, towering billows, majestic, lifting us the stars, lightning, thunders, Erubus, roar winds, peace alternate, enamelled ocean, empyrean gems; veteran cruise; from aloft, armed to war, neighbouring seas, defend shouting shout, myself pilot, in a small tender, 'mong studded keys, wander intricate passages, learn creeks, rapid currents, bays deceitful, smooth dangerous ocean; due honour the Bristol flag ship, then first lieutenant, chief, Badger brig, my orders protect the Musquito shore, Honduras bay, from the sly, dastard depredations a hovering foe; nor leisure hours mispent, each fleeting moment, Almighty grandeur, earths diurnal, shifting heavenly bodies, and the rising moon, virgin her imperial chariot, to replace lost rivers with refreshing sea; led next the Hitchinbroke, superior built bulwark, captured from the

enemy; maturer age, resolved serve king, my country, love her station, her inimitable laws, her bulwark constitution; humble acknowledgment, an all-wise, o'er-ruling providence, me, strength, nerve, mind, permitted forth to battle, threatened our colonies, we land Jamaica, alive acute muster, armed duty, day, night, to repel enormous land forces, embattled navies, as sullen clouds, terrific horizons; arms, to war, heaven resounded, myself planted batteries, deceitful show, caution the enemy, respect our exposed, day, triumphant shout, night bravo, solemn array, defend with our lives, last drop circulating blood; superb the lordly enemy, amazed survey, then turned backs, nor sought the glorious plains of war; harmony, discomfit, brave tars, themselves, their country, Britain her praise, rebounded the stars: heavenly visitant, next led an expedition to reduce Fort Jaan, distress the enemy, weaken his distant resource; myself the naval, the gallant Nelson, chief the military; land Gracious A Dios, operations, began march o'er swamp, we collect small craft, stem rude obstinate streams, a perilous voyage under guidance, our Indian allies; low stagnant rivulets, dormant seasons, disease, sickness, lassitude, oppressive death, outward stern; meet the enemy, animation fired, 'mid relaxed, excessive heat, oblige quit our boats, drag o'er wretched sand banks, sudden deep water, frightful rapids, hideous currents contend, infinite hardship, affected our sight, reflected shoals, high everlasting woods, burdensome respiration, vertical suns, night awful extreme, chill damps, weighty fogs, pestilent dews, and now in sight

armed outpost, myself barefooted o'er burning sands, instant surprised the astonished foe; fighting his own weapons, nor time permitted who their sudden, their strange visitants; and landed our master, through woods, snake tracts, hazardous infernal, as suburbs bordering the tormented damned; some bitten, instantaneous descent the solemn tomb; myself narrow escape, a monitory lizard, warned sudden danger; the very streams infected poison, unnumbered hardships, through scenes immaculate bliss, shades envied, inspiring din, embosomed bowers, emblem rest, eternal realms, everlasting bliss; at length, push rampart walls, them veteran ascend, despise formal tactics, war determined, an aloud laugh, pepper grape, apparatus roar; possession; but ah! our conquest dear; set in heavy rains, e'en the Indians that accompanied us, sunk, discharge their arduous duty; disease, death, great privations, want every necessary, nor sufficient strength, bury our pious dead, tossed afloat streams, or on desart sands, a prey ravenous devouring birds; five months 'ere abandoned, forlorn, we curse its station, stamping eternal desolation; perilous the extreme, remnant lives, scarce reach the Jamaica station; next led the Janus, as captain the navy, ardent my profession, but the late service, demands prudent cessation, set sail Old England, embarked the Lion, under veteran orders my friend Cornwallis; four months reposes; and now the Albemarle, during the ensuing winter, stationed the north; arrive Elsinour, date soundings those crooked seas, drive currents, eddy pools, perpendicular breaks; re-

turn, a happy sail, till within sight the Downs, when sudden heavens o'ercast, gust winds, hollow seas, mountains high, uprode us perilous our own borders; all hands aloft, we dread tempestous billows, void sea room, amid the disasterous storm, lose bowsprit, the important foremast; next sailed the Newfoundland station, peep inner hold, make known how equipped; stationed Boston, exposed adverse winds, an unruly current, keen the enemy, set sail four embattled, attendant frigate, immediate chase; tiptoe winds, propel billows, urged swift their favoured rear; instant alarm; their vast superiority, their admired pursuit, we lament tardy haste our decrepid bulwark, I command heroes, embrace every means, 'scape their voracious grasp; not a moment to lose, time led, time swift them urged, I harangue, heroes! plunge the vessel St. George's bank; trusting an omnipotent arm, my own skill, serene needle suspend, majestically sublime, Englishmen defiance, whirlpool ocean; the determined foe 'gan random, when lo! sudden amazed, horror struck, quit the scene, father Ocean friendly, swum their bulwarks, afar lucid on his Atlas shoulders; but the frigate more daring, advances; I order the main top sail the mast, harangue my brave crew, animate, inspire, recite celestial theme, ancient, worthies old, heaven prepared, roll mortal bluster, when the alarmed foe, instant declines the contest; hail! aloud hail! sang te Deums, St. George's banks, that saved us from capture; and now protecting arm, convoy transports to New York, join the fleet, led the immortal Howe; from thence downwards, spicy rum, disci-

pline aright, scout seas pearl, commerce preserve, lift Britain her exalted standard, the eternal stars: fame welcomed, gaped our mouths, listening ears, peace, peace, Britain triumphant; no more the sword, the spear, the cruel bayonet, nor artillery roar, nor hideous reign war; heavenly peace, and hushed to rest the tumult world; returned my native shores, (a genial respite after excessive fatigue,) to embrace sweets domestic harmony, nature her rural, farming the glebe, coursing, sporting, delights the bracing chase, recreate expand the immortal mind.

'Twas early delightful morn, nature unusual harmony to heaven her sweeter melodies; at Burnham, 'mid enamelled scenery, enormous bliss, ascent gratitude, Almighty goodness, buzz songster, congratulate trees, waved reverent branches, playful winds, heard their turn; absorbed the holy charm, I muse a being God, infinite, unchanged, yesterday, to-day, the same when time, sanctity, created heavens, shall vanish, dissolve; boundless love immensity, suns, systems, animalculæ sphere, nor sin, the cold hand, despotic death, compels the awful tomb; I muse surround landscape, the suns majestic errand, aspire meridian dome, nature, her seraphic beauty, aside thrown veil, as on creative morn, when Deity by the hand, kind, bid unfurl immortal seasons; I muse the eternal nine, their sacred character, Urania chief, mysteries revolve, parent earth on whom I tread, now front meridian blaze, now wintry arear, indulged celestial field, attendant queen of heaven, elliptical prodigies, winged messengers, to bind everlasting harmony, and love; I

muse immortal man, myself a wonderment, how live, move, my being, respiration, digestive, powers perspiring, their beautiful, their inimitable machinery; I dwell the Eternal, Governor the universe, every temporal need, loving-kindness, mercies tender, a way dignified Almighty justice, commune man, through a mediator, Saviour the world; hail heavenly morn, when lo! sudden transported, in a moment, some distant spot, a temple similar the one we inhabit, I gaze, admire, one before me, as thou might be; begun oratory, Nelson, since absent long, if pleasing, ill rehearse; late series, fighting armies, thunder navies the wide tumult world; then these worlds I returned, O visitant divine, do thou begin: angelic hero, illustrious hail! cheerful I obey, and may the muses inspire while I rehearse thy august presence; Great Britain! sings a tuneful world: superior all nations, built her wise laws, her eternal constitution, go forth her armies, her navy, ocean proud plunge central floating plains, war; wisdom inspired her rulers, her august monarch, the sable nod, that shakes the solid poles; all lands acknowledgment, blessings, welfare, a dependant globe; war, shout triumphant, when life thy began pulse, reason, judgment, expand valour, enrolled records fate, fulfilment burst bonds, a lisping hero, while hung the affectionate breast; England her armies, bulwark navy, veteran renowned through distant climes, flaming glory, either Ind, Brahmins, chiefs, aghast, divine valour, tread their adored records; the immortal Clive, fearless unnumbered adversaries, hot bed climes, intrepid outstretched arm, grasp myriads,

laugh heaven's meridian, vermilion winds, desert kilns, wait the arrival peace, elevated her sublime chariot, virgin angel beauty, her flaming standard, wave passing balm breezes; nor alone Aurora realm, westward, hideous clime, Amherst, Johnson, Wolfe, leader invincible armies, unheard difficulty, wade rivers, scale rocks, ascent perpendicular, untrod woods impassable, den savage monsters, serpent realms; Indian nations, spectators the cruel grape, the bayonet, spear, the hand, the mightier soul, heaven, earth, hell alarm, lightning, thunders, nor stay the startled poles, up upward rebound empyrean amazed; home, her own borders, wooden walls, petrify, 'larm European neighbours; British tars, loud ring old ocean, come forth ye wanting; Archangel to the swan neck Dardanells, circuitous, the distant cape, 'round the dissected globe, dash, her enemies plunge point rocks, surge whirlwind, tremendous aloft, or unfathomable yawn, 'mid bellow, ignominy, whistle winds, Almighty wrath; sang the afloat sphere, Britannia rule, her navy to the stars; her armies disciplined of old, dawn, refulgence, either eve, deadened night, in death, encircled glory, ascend broad barriers everlasting bliss; circumnavigate unknown seas, antipodes with open arms, run, embrace, reverence, hospitable joy; riches her shores, amassed wealth, thronged harbours, the Indian, tanned seapoy, Lascars, soot tribes, come from far, bathe her metropolis, amaze her bulwarks, her exalted mien, her divine character, myriads immortal, direct narrow paths, realms immortality; Britain beloved; all nations her friendship, tributary as earth,

azure satellites, round the bright region everlasting day; and hushed contending powers; peace cradle attitude; to rest the tumult world; rancour aside, national hate, petty demur, meaner theme, as brethren, friendly whole earth, one heart, blood, originally one common stock; reigned social harmony, ties love; the warrior chief returned, the naval hero, veteran tar, other ardour connubial, by heaven ordained, breathe extacy embosomed embrace; the land at rest, fanned the immortal muse; nor toil, din, rumour, exchanged her virgin song nature; Britain, her commerce float distant seas, delight refulgent afar realm; king, government, assembled senate, every intricacy, father the respected poor, the meanest peasant, his life, his cot, sacred all, embannered as the golden monarch on his ivory throne; aright discipline, enforce the laws, live as men, war inward corruption, blest empire, silenced her enemies, whole earth, awe clad, muse her eternal sphere, her invincible prowess, science gone forth, every wit, weapons aside, peace, te Deums, illustrious heroes, triumphant returned, grace venerable shores, lounge pavement gold, 'neath dome, temp'ral everlasting fame; built thee London, structure to inspire the willing mind; wisdom her sanctum, vast building, square, pillars towering, marble ascent, a hundred golden gates, honour, glory, immortality vibrate, nor e'er shut, open ever, dash infamy, eternal disgrace, louder than thousand thunders, appal unjust approach; divine harmony, re-echo listening globes, genius, merit, morn, noon, eve, nor midnight wanting, theme, greatness, path heroes, warriors, serene minds,

poets that sing departed greatness; enthroned Britannia; shield, spear, cap august liberty, north, south, east, the brine west, hold forth her sceptre tipt refulgent gold, at whose touch resounds the hall, sacred dome, wider earth, canopied exalted heavens; to Deums everlasting; fame remotest posterity, immortalized gold, pedestaled attendant muses; Calliope, exquisite spirit, animated worth, immortal prowess, heroes, their career, serene exit, valour, fire, wrestle death, heap slaughter, conquer or glorious adieu, the last stage human existence; thou divine, numbers of old, warriors that bled, lifting their country the stars; chief the heavenly train, thy smile on ancient Greece, on Rome, last Britain indulged; Clioh, historic; paths kings, how laid fabric, foundation germ, gigantic name, emperors, deities ruling a globe; antediluvian, Assyrian, Babylonian, scheme, emulant advance, intellectual expand visual capacity, topstone immortalized joy, endless eras, restless series, Persian, Grecian, Roman, mind, thought, intrepid cool, smile grim visages, nether infernal peerages; rolling germ, myriad generations, sons men, manhood, imperial empire, thee Britain, what time, lengthened, chariot wheel, built that eternal rock, glory redound aloft azure, the divine muse, ever extatic harmony through the loud sounding hall, her history, her great, her historians, laurel adorned, genuine refulgent splendour; next Erato who adequate, the Supreme, on creative morn, deep lodged the human breast, purple wrought chain, hangs the ponderous orb, gilded courts heaven; love, innocence serene, at bay the sun, fairer moon, chaste elevate

starry ether; adoration profound, gratitude unfeigned, so benign a gift; Deity to polish uncouth man, bid resident the opaque; kings descend ivory thrones, bow and adore, heaven's immaculate gift: Euterpe, Terpsichore, brethren muses, languish echos, the harp, the lyre, breathing bliss, of sounds, vibrate air, how ne'er allied harmony, wide plains heaven; exquisite chorr'd, lifting the thought, ascent, realms immortality; medium, effervescent, touched your sacred hands, ye I bask; hail blest muses, your smiles, King David, the psaltery, harp, instrument ten strings, Orpheus's golden lyre, and now his ivory quill, now his heavenly voice, Handel inspired, listening distant harmony, sweet realms bliss; Melpomene, wisdom Polhymnia, the livelier Thalia, muses, passions the human mind, knowledge, rhetoric, celestial science: last Urania, chief the heavenly train, systems, suns, revolve worlds, absorbed empyrean, infinite perfection, the majestic dome, arctic perused, myriads, and beyond, myriads more, confines glory, spangled profuse, as dust of gold; now peeps Orion the blest horizon, now gone meridian, the northern bear, Hyades, cluster Pleiades, enthrong'd galaxy, powdered poles, the minute solar linked myriads unnumbered, enveloped refulgence, light, life, eternal joy, attendant deities, Mercury, Venus, Earth, Mars, that gigantic sire, clad circled zones, starry belts, Saturn's stupendous ring, the distant Georgium, time's utmost boundary, from whose serene, beheld the sun, the system blytha, matchless evolution; O most exalted lesson, taught th' immortal Newton, trackless regions, their holy mysteries, their

divine laws; temple sublime, honored Britannia, fabric the stars; depict scenery, earlier dawn, clarion shrill, rouse echo bugle, the solemn flute, that in youth kindles the germ future war; military file, cradle discipline, limbs, the divine mind, example, that fires review, emulant prompt the soul, fame, yon goal, win its eternal renown; a summers eve, nature her wedding array, echo artillery, distant clap, the nobler soul, ardour approved of heaven, to battle his endeared joys, defend from impious assault; kings depict, princes, senate the land, midnight oratory, defiance assembled worlds; squadrons jagg'd ocean, leaders divine attitude, poetic their men, lead victory, glory; Aurora, her earlier limbs, purple billows, Englishmen afloat, thunderbolts war, on the alert, clad more than mortal energy; battle aroar, laurel astrew, enthroned lesser muses, its hundred open doors, beckon sons of men, emulation approved, genius, prowess, the stout, the manly game of war, outwit the king of terrors, and locked his sable embrace, their full reward possess, realms everlasting bliss; O thou Eternal, God, fountain, spring, everlasting divine muses, gone forth their sound, through all the earth, love, harmony, joy, earth dissect, strata realms, globes rock, rich ores usung, animalculæ wheel, worlds within, fed centre suns; terrestrial, nature her epic, her prodigious garden, her seraphic hue, her divine fragrance, juice, purple dip, inanimate harmony, grateful a listening God, unheard the dull cold ear, statue inconsiderate man; the seasons roll, rude thunders, heaven lampt lightning, cattle, creep, innumerable fin, huge dons unfathomable, unknown; rock

realms, central globes, lawn nature, her unseen paths, her verdant retreats, circuit earth, planets wheel, father sun, etherial, immersed the pomp, the grandeur heaven, and that centre ken infinite wisdom, as by a master penman whate'er may inspire, virtue dissect, qualities, genius, dignified man: and closed the late contest; resound her palaces, frequent, full; thou, 'ere long, its sacred repose, effervescent, the well-known sceptre, thy temples fragrant, to reward superior zeal, greatness inspired; peace Britannian land, industry, joy, science, divine arts, reigns Great Britain, pinnacled glorious the wide earth, more elevate starry heavens.

BOOK THE SIXTH.

And now the blessings of peace; eleven years her golden circuit, love harmony enrolled; reposed the agitated world, nor enkindled passions impetuous man; but ah! the hand of fate, inexorable fate, no mortal can arrest, each his inevited doom, adverse some, while prosper reign surrounding worlds; thou contending Boreas, worst scene domestic, kindred opposed blood, supremacy, omniscient all his works, empires, kings, him allowed sway hosts myriad man; Britain dangerous precedence, ere long amain headlong, sapped foundation, nor designed huge earth, as Atlas the ponderous orb, on his burdened shoulders; inglorious adieus antediluvian, Assyrian, Grecian, Roman empires, Deity, to protect his favoured, Britain thou the old, thy loins a people, sway the distant new; England elevate her blissful clime, civilized arm seraphic afar, western Americans, through woods, dire region, roam back settlement, wander further corners earth, tutor immortal Indians, hand the golden key,

that opes, realms everlasting happiness; 'gan now, blew rumoured trump, death sounding war; Great Britain undoubted right, rule her distant colonies, adverse an arrogant mien, a seven years war; nor Troy's ten years, helped their machinery gods; what heroes the bare cold orb, a smile serene the ghastly mien death, while upward, heaven, their everlasting home; England amazed efforts, armies, fleets, groan azure billows, destined curb restless desire, smothered rancour, worse discontent, nor once a grateful thought, who their sage ancestors, their long boasted protectors; the bluster will, meaner violence, trample sacred laws, provoke tumult, rude riot rebellion, impious insult, toss friendly supplies, the briny deep; hubbub aloud, each other strengthen, glory wicked career, through their land, innate ardour, call liberty, independance, sonorous sounding terms, high lesson proud, that swells ennobled man renowned exploit: Britain her usual ken; suspected din, her council, senate, some espouse American claims, so heaven ordained, flew oratory, but to confirm, distant, secure, undaunted, defy Britannia, and her sacred sceptre.

Meanwhile, at Boston, lands the veteran Gage; extended mercy, forgive the past, but the unprincipled will, dilatory, heal the breach that passion gave; as the dog, the miry sow, man his natural propensity; light, seen everlasting hills, thy wheel tyrannic war, war that summoned each manly duty, and wrapt distressing flame, the tumult world; the Americans at Concord, secret collect stores, destined menace the English, encamped, plains Boston; Gage their inmost, despatched

forces, peremptory orders, push flow streams, ammunition, ball, brass engines deposit depths surround rivulets; but the enemy, stern determines opposition; through night, sounding bells, signal vollies, thunder alarm; the immortal British at Lexington, first drew purple steel, disabled artillery, the wells, the streams, slop resounded ball, powder as manure, black fattened contiguous plains; war aloud, yell hideous, the Americans revenge armed, rude scythes, within worse, hid walls, broken fences, harass the English their veteran return; meanwhile, a general assembly, meet Philadelphia, sing their body the United States; militia invest, the land, the sacred land, prepare, defend with the awful sword; arms, secret stores, Aurora her earlier limb the train musket, inspiring sounds, the drum, the martial flute, mellow bugle, husbands, wives, young, old, emulant energy, an enthusiastic love liberty; congress poetic resolutions, encamp armies, rivers afloat bulwarks: Gage meanwhile the brewing storm; troops sullen horizons, redoubts, retrenchments, breast-work proof, commands dislodge yon arrogant muster, bid them cease with insolence, rebuke; two thousand Moreton's point, led the immortal Howe, heaven sickened, vessels the river pour the devoted spot, Charlestown flames, massy embers loiter remote ether; irresistible advanced bayonet, compel the enemy, abandon his posts, flee, flee the awful field, O wretched, friends, kindred estranged, dire passions horrid, reason confused her celestial throne, her designed station there, to promote peace, lead the soul, realms heavenly rest, bright.

regions above; sonorous unusual clang; Europe aghast the strange demur, blood, precious blood, wonderous dialect, spoke leaning the skies; Britannian hue Atlantic, bulwark fleets, armies, heroes, engined war, King George terribly arrayed gorgeous plumes war; alive the empire, fame busied, fame in office, oratory enchant, seraphic blast, wonderment, brethren, friends, allied blood, the passions marred, cup human, drank its worst dregs; peasant Americans, nobler citizens, congress, day, night, infinite energy, oppose approach tempest; Washington chief, central revolving duties, life, soul, serenely blythe, march, encountering to deceive, wade rivers, laugh howl night, serious invoke meridian nocturnal to escape o'er hills, rugged mountains, circuitous avoid close combat, harass, astound superior discipline, their wits' end, every ambush avoid open field, invincible adversaries; chess game war, eve battle, shout, alarm more than mortal accent, sing victory, leisure bind veterans, superior elements, vitriol frosts, blasts hell driven, aspire honour, everlasting renown; discomfited but to advance in skill, war redound majestic numbers, flame infernal, bastion fortresses toss startled heavens, sublime wield the sullen bayonet, keener steel, opposed celestial ardour, kiss earth's tomb opaque, or laurel adorned, prodigies terrific; thee Montgomery, thy colleague Arnold, head-quarters Ticonderago, Indian nations tempt iniquitous war, capturing Chamblee, St. John's, Montreal, express Quebec, ardour approved, (ere British supplies, their arrival, the river St. Lawrence;) its walls ascend, peremptory, force the

British an immediate surrender; but ah! unthought calamity, the cruel clime, estranged hearts his wanting men, narrow council, waste golden moments, axled morn, meridian, eve, gilded night, nor decided advance, when starry heavens favoured an attack; empty, proud review, most imprudent, rouse the king of terrors, his infernal couch? the British alive danger, arms, to war, father time, bid them serene, behold elated, guides deceived, bewilder bogged, death feeding monster tombs; Englishmen, vex chariot-wheels enemy's artillery, fatten with gore foundation walls: meanwhile at Boston, lands the general Howe; a military ken the town, the works, surround heights, but now resolved more south, invade the heart his enemy's territories; then crowded strands, willing father Ocean, received his embarked; stationed Halifax, plan future operations, sailing thence, land Long Isle, experienced leader, tutored his nobler art; retinue, captains, veterans, stores, tremendous park, a hovering fleet, Old England thunderbolts; council sedate, order march, the Americans alarmed, startle celestial discipline; Howe masterly advance, dash central, gather dependant extremes, delightful prey, alternate chase intercept, back driven, desperate confusion, distracted heroism, the enemy as madmen, endeavour their escape, through centre the British camp; some mute embedded woods, others statue dire marshes, some their last breath offensive surfaces, battle, rout, slaughter, pursuit, hosts discomfited, appalled stern rapidity, august pursuers; Washington this way, that, pious invoke meridian night, prayed nocturnal, be

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dilatory, a stillness unheard those climes before; a higher hand bid ocean slumber, winds be silent, billows mackerel, a misty curtain, drawn omnipotent arm; Aurora rose, amaz'd the English hero, his opponent on the opposite shore; instant military command, launched channel bulge, up rousing his adversary; Washington attacked, sounds a retreat, abandon the city Kingsbridge, contiguous chalk plains, the British his heels, inspired win fames, immortal goal; sonorous display, fit verse heroic song, godward embattled; joy perceived enemy, veterans beyond human, celestial prowess full march, victory, eternal renown; Howe able, secures the town, the isle, dependant hills; the enemy, shrugged shoulders, scarce askance peep, ken divine mien, terrible opponents; to holds, fortresses, the American leader, collect scattered remains, nor dare the open field, cool in soul, unsubdued, improving muse, tutored his adversaries' mien; arts intrepid, am bush, front, the point when victory hovers, doubtful how sing, oratory, divine harangue, ardent the way lead, push, push, jealous immortal honours, shouting, shout, an ostrich chase retiring foes, contend, contend, smile, face the king of terrors, fearless his beckon, the infernal vale, barrier as hell, broad pavement, heaven's everlasting home; Howe military lounge, Washington afar, arms length reconnoitre, varied movements his skilled opponent; keen to repair lost strength, congress diligent supply, cheer, animate, rouse the land sense duty, arms, to war, pious resigned the will heaven, liberty, liberty, seal their lives, defence their glorious country: Howe at New York, 'mid din tempestuous,

distant hum, clatter, Washington his trained staff, bred tutored arts seductive war; desperate their wits' end, confide wisdom from above; congress assiduous, dawn, through morn, meridian, serene eve, silent hours midnight, messengers on the wing, express distant lines, to leaders sad, cheer, fan remaining hope, enliven distressed courage; what tyrannic law, prop the sinking state, prudent demean, nor meet open field, the invincible British; prowess, blood, unison thee O American, that spirit so wrapt sublime, adored through rolling generations, widening utmost posterity; Washington varied manœuvre, deceives the English hero, nor charms allure, can provoke his experienced mien; full march the British army, as firm retires the wary foe; falls fort Washington, citadel Lee, Howe imperial possession, 'mid embannered hue, seraphic harmony; the American commander, hurried Newark, now through the Jerseys, compelled the purple Delaware, to Pensylvanian land; a quick precede his victorious pursuer, illustrious the fame, the name hero, vexing very midst, masterly capturing their general, men, ordnance, stores, brazen artillery, the land extatic hue, more fragrant, sublime, etherial pomp, beautied tinge, empurpled war, heroes, martial harmony, kindling celestial fire, the immortal soul; time relief; beams declining hope, the American army; along the extended Jerseys, lay the disordered British, not then urgent, wakeful to repel impious approach, shake leaf murmur, but dormant, dead; Oh! ignominy, dire disgrace, an easy prey, snatch foes, intrude elements, the brute creation; Washington, keen, catch golden moments

as they passing fly, his military ken along the extended Jerseys, determines deadened night, cross the stream, embattled armed, their midst infest, with slaughter, and dismay; 'twas night, the sun antipodes, powdering celestial beauty, when led this hero, his select muster, shores the meander Delaware; quick his artillery, then his afloat army, and when Aurora, southern her eastern limb, to the task surprize veterans, commanders, military spoil, as when Israel encamped the bare wilderness, forth early morn, went men to gather manna, that innumerable, thick studded miraculous surfaces; nine hundred entrapped, degenerate, solitary, nor roused their divine ardour; Washington attained his object, returns the same rout; swam triumphant the Delaware, victory, victory, congress all ardent men, to surmount every difficulty: I might enumerate, Charlestown, its attempt by Parker, Clinton's ill success, a squander precious blood, from superficial knowledge, wind streams, petty mud channels; Howe's march Philadelphia, battle Brandywine, Washington's masterly attack German town, silent by night, their outposts, a morning call, when scarce Aurora tinged the heavenly horizon; Burgoyne's unfortunate campaign, his arrival Saratoga, dire conflicts that terminated his lamentable surrender; Clinton's evacuating Philadelphia, his retreat New York, harassed every hand, yet reverent arm's length the enemy, nor dare close combat force him to battle; piecemeal combat, heroism 'mid inlet confusion, skirmish, thunder, the one hand, amazed efforts to entrap, t'other distress manœuvre, multiply bewilder difficulty, matted paths,

perplexed war; ambushed rocks, inviting bogs, rivers meander to deceive, the Americans an infinite superiority knowledge their country; a deep fetched sigh the British, for open plains battle, or a correct view surround wilderness; nature her prodigious liberality amid din arms, what trying shifts, inflamed the brain, nor wanting Englishmen, an ardent pant that fires to glory, the dread hour battle; afar the mother realm, exposed contra winds, intrude gales, not direct despatch, nor regular her government, oft keenest ken, a listening ear lofty eminences, bask yon horizon, invoke the winds, tardy gales, haste intelligence, her distant heroes, fighting battles, their glorious country; armies, bulwarks, sublime old Ocean shoulders, to reinforce gallant countrymen, wishful mast head, sail rivers, inland creeks, war their hands, armed dreadful power, round heaven's nether canopy, tuneful artillery; nor wanting human wisdom, to reduce the colonies level obedience; but adverse an o'erruling providence, writ heaven folios, independent, civilize back settlements, emerged savage barbarism; for it Columbus trod the mighty ocean, wond'rous for months, sky, sea, azure beauty, till by the finger God pointed, landing hailed a planetary globe; Americus, others the Caribbean, Mexican, search downward, upsail serener seas, sublimer starry heavens night, day as heaven refulgent gold, cruising enamelled, enamelled surfaces, blest regions joy, nature attendant, before elysian breeze, singing an axled planet, annual, diurnal, ages immemorial: hence Britain, her sons, thy bulwark clime Old England, new lands, 'stablished youth empire, nor all the arts de-

generate man, can award, when from his heights holiness, deity at a nod, decrees the destined globe; here we leave the hostile armies; nor bravery, consummate skill the one, surmount defensive cleverity the other; skirmish, peal clap war, unavoid waste precious important time, squand treasure, blood, nor a decisive blow, nor fame seraphic trump, labyrinth regions, cramped military scheme, and to contend devouring nature, fogs, bewilder clime, aloud wants, disease, inglorious death.

Meanwhile the powers of Europe, their rolling thoughts on passing scene; King George, etherial his ivory throne, princes around, dignitaries the realm, peers, lords, and commons, enormous base, great empire lifted the stars, yet unsubdued their distant enemies, and why? they fight their kindred; invincible either, nor possible bend the reverent knee; France, long secret, now open, armed to war, and sailed their fleets, their armies, to assist American claims; the court Versailles, aloud the world, proclaimed American independence; amicable treaties, gracious ambassadors, introduced form; war, proclamation, unusual stir, bustle, mistress Britannia, swum old Ocean, to close ports, restless enemies; armies, heroes yore, embattled navies, reduce presuming arrogance, wrestle the human mind its level standard, busied her councils, night, day, the land an awful pant, tuneful sons, eager to recite heroic harmony; canvass, plough sublime billows, her topgallant foreign seas, princes, tribes, unnumbered agaze, azure bespangled spotless beauty: thee Keppel indulged commence the game of war; the waves, the sea, attendant muses, compass, mast-head, invoke vir-

ginity, steer direct the enemy's centre, rouse sleeping war, one foot the terraqueous, t'other cavern tombs, regale match gleam, artillery bellow; Englishmen aloft, veteran brethren below, halloo, loud urge, swell delightful pinion, push bulwark, waft 'mid bugle blast, noblest engagement; alarmed the wanting foe, manœuvre through remaining day, happy sought distance, and when night friendly to slumber reposing worlds, under cover fly inglorious protection, leave Ushant, contiguous field, possession known prowess, captains, immortal tars; England, her fleets, some to reinforce gallant brethren coasts American, others the Caribbean, some the spicy east, some superb the far fetched Mediterranean to the agape Nile; love, harmony, ever the look out, thee Rodney, what time leaving thy bulwark country, morn, evening, midnight, wakeful sense duty, whether zenith refulgent, or nocturnal gem, keen furthermost horizons, warrior, hero, nor heaven wanting, powder celestial laurel, everlasting hand blest, remotest posterity; first rolling, tumbling thy squadron the enemy's midst, an embrace fifteen sail, laden wheat, flour, golden grain, provision, merchandise, naval, military stores, handbolt one embattled, frigates four; horizons suspicious sail, signal, chase, the enemy alarmed, upward breezes, wishful the winds, liberate eventual hold, capture, death; thou steady, thy aim the glorious field, front, centre howl, feast harmony, bliss; at eve, St. Vincent's cape, the canopy heaven, hung twilight; Englishmen, their usual demean, wise in battle, reverent diminutive adversaries; one by one, up scattered, the Spaniards favourable opportunity, for

single rencontre; night dismal, tempestuous; call divine duty, instant war, fearless shades nocturnal, contiguous sneak, unknown shoals, beds tumbled ocean; brave the enemy, met the charge, a wond'rous mien; opposed bristly, up pointed broadsides, precipitate jack tars, headlong flow depths; night ebon, visible the enemy, lightning gleam, now tremble lash waves, now hurried battle, chase, signal, shout, the enemy aloud invoke friendship old Ocean; but the English, existing helms, expand sails, omniscient nether springs, manœuvre but to entrap, endeavour rouse sense imperious duty, ye wanting, manly, fight the glorious plains of war; victory beckoned the fore finger, Langara, his superb bulwark, three others ticketed the repose an English haven; one laved death billows, unmanageable another, a third, armed seventy artillery, six hundred life, volumes smoke, suspicious flame, burst magazine, heaven surcharged despair, known only borders the chastened damned; remaining fleet, on wings escape, nor inter their pious dead, till safe Cadiz, unmolested, and amazed, each sacred rite; hero immortal, extended wing, sublime the vast Atlantic; brave tars supple limbs, fleet yards, ascend the rigging, seem absorbed 'mid roar, inveterate engagement; superior mind, leisure heroic, nor forgetful themselves mortal, destined eternity; Gross Islet bay, receives the hero Rodney, his bulwark fleet; fame celestial, the enemy's arrival Martinique, him instant, urgent, call honour, their gaudy plume, wary, cautious, avoid close embrace, runaway coward inglorious, snap random, rigging the British fleet; life hasty,

heroes unexpected adieu, the enemy, terrible blasts, grasp the winds, look heaven upward, below father Ocean, waft shores, adamant shadow, 'neath thunder protection; Rodney, their home, their dungeon; vigilant the look out, exposed eddy whirlpool, shift tides, rude currents, sudden gusts, mystery heavens, suspected bliss, presage hurricane, elements at war, air, earth, mansions infernal, exposed the bare orb; time's harmonious wheel, and now the memorable morn, giddy puffs, burst squalls, scatters the enemy, and to open sea, propelled rude behaviour father Ocean; front, met by the British hero; masterly chase, heroic dash, snatch bulwark extreme from dependant centre; the enemy enraged, concentrate his fleet, prepare meet, shock battle; Aurora, the scarce risen sun, witnessed begun slaughter, through the memorable morn, series, march heroes, the terrible scourge death, eve, twilight revolve, 'ere victory, or heaven's sublime canopy, relieved tremendous roar; decided rout, broke their line, crowded slain, slaughter, dismay, Rodney the winds his fists, armed punishment, lengthened the terrible conflict, bid them taste the sweets, the pains war; some absent, nor on deck serene leader, some hurried unfathomable, others embodied flame, shocking, burst hell, timbers, men, an awful visit, remote heaven; some prizes glorious capture, their chief a prostrate mien, humble, divine superiority terrible opponent; victory, te Deums, alarm no more, thee Rodney, that bid be still, wrath elements, unison rage presumptuous enemies; nor alone the west, around the globe, success arms Britain, fame thee beyond thy

ears; time would fail to rehearse series American campaign, skill, tactics, amazed efforts, compel sense reverent return; but who e'er contended the will of heaven, and prospered! England superior a tumultuous world; Gibraltar high elevated, commands internal ocean, on whose rampart, a British handful; France, Spain, a jealous eye, determine regain, (mad presumption,) or hurry its site, the buoyant Mediterranean; heap species wile, tremendous, very hell dissected, man his infringed rights, swelling satanic, to maintain inert dignity, and becoming pride; as the mind, the immortal mind, infinite superior its clay tenement, as rocks serene, when Ocean roar, as Deity, 'mid man rebellious, a sinful globe, Englishmen their smile, assembled wrath, elements in train, a world on fire; Elliot, stern, determined, hurry insolent arrogance, amaz'd oblivion; aright his minute muster, industry, toil, morn, noon, eve, reign twilight, prudent the seasonable relief, higher intellectual, inspiring song, and immortal theme; huge rock, stone massy, binding slime, furnaces, enormous cauldrons, wells ocean supply, fuel, blow below, aroar slumbering hell, as Ætna, Heckla, as Cotopaxi, belching throned, beyond terrestrial skies; oratery harangue, sing heroic deed, song to the stars, warriors eternalized; pious resigned the will heaven, seal their lives, last drop circulating blood, glorious defence their endeared country; the enemy an iron net, encircle around, and round; princes, captains, mighty hosts; from Cadiz engines cruel, old Ocean, hollow moan, a groan unutterable despair; running rivers

built sides, as human veins, their supply, pumped from the fountain heart; soft slippery hides, sloped roofs, quench, drench, toss unfathomable, bombs thrown, or heated shot; more than mortal enthusiasm led Crillon, the Chevalier de Arcon, engineer equal skilled to draw the line, ambush sap, meander dark caverns gloomy earth; prodigious batteries, bulwarks groaning the depths, timbers extraordinary thickness, floating cork, layers sand, inlets as opening valves, impious aloud, threatened the besieged eternal destruction; fleets to co-operate, blythe battle, anxious the signal, to unfold the scene of death: Oh! thou impregnable rock, ages everlasting, nature enthroned thy heavenly crest, o'erlooks celestial scenery, commands either hand purple billows, horizons Afric, tinged hung her seraphic hue; length backward morn, the sun arose distressed; tempest, hail, vociferate war, death terrible clatter, sudden the bursting gleam, puts out the sire of day; thousand thunders roar echo poles, as when the Almighty, vengeance devoted cities, hell's brimstone torrent, that to an awful abyss, hurried cursed inhabitants; begun, grew thick, grew higher, man, men, death's vale, fearless awful precipices, that o'erlooks, boundless oceans eternity; flew up the curling smokes, up flew, ranged serener sky, puts out the gilded stars, lightning athwart, despair, unutterable woe; the mind, the sight, the ear, dumb, lost, terrible conflict, divine energy, swell intellectual, field war, burst bombs, howl lava, eddy whirlwind, sweep round, nature alarmed, hasty to restore vacuum, sudden imported gusts; jargon ocean, batteries land, omnipotent

presume utter annihilation, stamp desolation face very earth.

But the British! Elliott, his captains, his men; amazed a voice, ye immortal, defiance a vengeful world; curling smokes, earthquake grumble, heaven upward blackened, Elliott drawn sword, awakes to arms, the cauldrons fill, the springs, the fountain boil, o'erflow round rocks, as the deaf falls Niagara, hurried perpendicular brims, propelled distant afar barriers; heroes, immortal man, their post, the forge, inflammable bellows, heated coppers, shot red hot, men, cuffs, iron gloves, every direction, flang death, scorch wound, terrific dismay; as Vesuvius, whose eternal belching, the British begun peal, nor content, till father Time, a melancholy veil, threw o'er the solemn wreck; memorable morn, lost the imagination conceive, fire, hail, bombard, the enemy summon nether ardour, commanders the way lead, inspire their men, victory, renown; 'twas noon, heaven's sire, bespangled azure beauty, all but the dreadful site, heroes left alone, their cause maintain, 'mid vapoured gloom, a shade, hoiried curtain, drawn divine genius; 'twas noon, men hide roofs, hasty with buckets, in vain, quench begun desolation; flame volumes, timbers, immortal, the triumphant British, hoop, loud halloo, increase confusion, impending wrath; unhappy fire, insatiate gorge, heat transparent, long line warped billows, infernal machinery, bellow, startling oblivion, floating fragments, batteries land, ruin, combustion, magazines hell, awful, scorch wound, retreating armies, fled terrible thee Elliott, bastion gleam, flame that loitered entailed

heavens, dire arsenals, rock, brick, adamant, ammunition roar, ocean magnificent, stem, to stern, vast sheets, belch guns, bomb rocketed, astound the sense, invoked reason, to confirm her abiding station, the distressed opaque; grandeur untold, scene unsung, Elliott humane, a silenced enemy, loud echo command, thy rage O war, be still, give way, milder strains affectionate peace; feelings divine, his every nerve, snatch, extricate a fallen enemy; instant summoned muster, led the gallant Curtis, swift descent, fleet anxious disturbed billows, sing mercy, brethren, friends, confide our protection! how glorious to subdue an enemy, how honourable to caress despairing fear; awful scene, crackling wastes, a dying din, and death that beckoned silence, dismal night; Aurora the glutted wreck, pitiable, eternal rest, fanes, immortal heroes; fragment float, emaciate bulwarks, shocked remains, and reeking brain, ocean emetic mutilate carcases; land, promiscuous heaps, dread teacher death, their eyelids close, seal awful beds, bolt mansions everlasting tombs; chaos repose, all but the busy rock; heroes, a pious muse, returns the smiling sun, nature flow roll billows breezes balm, acclaim triumphant joy; reposed the jargon world, England revered through either Indian, Hope to the juicy Madeiras, yon end Mediterranean, basin bays, the sacred channel, mistress Britannia, old Ocean proud her admirals, her bulwarks, nor disturbed her happy shores, inland, each his bower, a sweet repose, her monarch, rulers, her divinely great, American pointed finger, privileged England, writ pages eternal fate, thy sons found distant empire,

the Indian, seal his passport plains immortality; he said, I essayed gratitude unfeigned, but lo! in a moment, fled, as air unseen, agaze around, amazed, no more angelic theme, a sudden departure, me, 'mid morn refulgent, and seraphic scenery.

BOOK THE SEVENTH.

THUS the wonderous vision: now may serenity of mind, fanned the eternal muse, whilst the future; king, country, jealous her sacred rights, reverent her glory, hand blessed posterity; much remains, and can I desist? O holy around series, feature, renown, divine genius; what time be still rude noisome war, peace heard in turn, led safe Britannian, brave tars an affectionate adieu, farewell captain, return thy banner, when threatening foes, but the least alarm; honours, me undeserved, presented imperial; arrive Burnham, lounge her rural, her creation, muse youth, Boreas, Arabic, nature her heavenly museum, how protected through danger, snares death, hardship, peril, known alone mariners, those that trust their all, boundless ocean; peace, science, divine arts, celestial throned everlasting muses; Britain, far handed, welcomed her superior commerce, kings empurpled ivory thrones, clad beauty ineffable, divine a visit London, bustle amaze, lounge portals fame; destined the continent; not armed embattled urgent the look out, a

jovial sail on blissful sea, peace led the helm, peace laved the keel, eddy waved serene surfaces; I muse foreign lands, a people strange, man, the same every clime, clay tenement built, within kindled Almighty breath, reigns the immortal soul; language, sounds, strange mystery, what diversity the human character; the pride of men, foreign courts, empty pageantry, enough; nature her empire, superior school her eloquent retreats, sight, sense, fruits, hue, exquisite balm, landscape virgin, lavish to unfold, hill, vale, wind stream, toss heap confused, the sublime Alps, magnificent arrayed the pomp, the grandeur of heaven; nor detained; again the Atlantic, cruise verdant leeward, tutor my crew, what father Ocean, his hidden domain; deceitful breakers, empty surfaces, towering surge, roll hollows, laugh hoisted the skies, smile a gape horror, note rising winds, their changing sceptres, secret whistling, starry heavens night, refulgence day, stillness, emblem whirlwinds, thunders, lightnings; when storms, when tempests howl, conversant abroad, stalk inebriate decks, swim perilous rigging, mast-head, defy giddy brain, roar winds, swollen ocean, thundering the stars; emulant quadrant meridian school, sun azure ether converse Britain, her king, country, constitution, her eternal bulwarks; nor slight relaxing mien, recreate at intervals, restore nature powers, expanded pinion the immortal soul; three years the Boreas her cruise, nor death his commission; officers, men, their own physicians, varied functions animal life, observe faithful; air, exercise, cheer amusement, music, dancing, cudgelling among

the more hardy, and robust; again return my native country, to indulge her repose, her metropolitan beauties.

Ten years peace, ten years imperial her golden dynasty: what time the voice of war, Britain! destined universal empire; proclamation, arms to war! France broiled, death, fire, the guollitine, subverted their government, the innocent Louis, dragged the accursed scaffold; maddened rage, wild uproar, worst scene, strange hubbub, presume new empire, arrogant, proclaim an independence, ill suiting, their wanting, their cruel character; still disciplined armies, basin havened embattled, impregnable barriers, dire arsenals, every necessary furnish supply; series campaign, what remained thee, terrible, O king of terrors, still their land, heroes, divine genius, able wield the golden sceptre, able billowed ocean, the buffeting system; Britain, as usual, serene the tumult world; civil discord, passionate multitudes, relentless, thousands their awful doom; decided war; and now farewell Burnham, lively adieu her retired, glow patriotism, inspired zeal, tread the vast, the mighty deep, fight battles, king, my country; led the Agamemnon, under sailing orders the Mediterranean; harangue my brave fellows, first ye immortal, ever strict in obeying orders, view hostile every man that speaks ill of his king, last, face an enemy, as a demon of hell; lawful our souls expanded flame, morn, noon, sol twilight, uncertain hour night, weave palm celestial victory, seal lives, remnant blood, defence our endeared; diversified ruin; leisure, descant Britain, her bulwarks, stern leaders; bayonet armies, isle to the stars, father Ocean,

pebble embrace, never, no, her shores, rude blast destructive war; exalted theme, her monarchs, her realm, her history, her higher joys; in full view the Gut, sublime propelled, join the squadron led the immortal Hood; 'gan roll records fame, batteries demolish, snatch thunder shelter, bravo, fire armed, defiance 'loft gape, air, earth, dire elements; happy the conduct our captain, ever foremost to glory, on a level the meanest seaman; and now messenger express, me the Neapolitan court; due honour, an audience the king, him pious our arrival, England, saviour Italy, his valued dominions; superior orders, join the commodore at Tunis; scarce bulge start, five sail suspicious, we chace; the enemy alarmed, at this moment, the winds a hasty veer, cut off possible escape; their line, they concentrate, prepare battle, inglorious snap rigging bulwark Agamemnon; nor manly wrestle, but aloof random, exalt heaven, disturb insolent echo; three hours running game, three hours our every nerve, and now the enemy determines opposition; bristly an outstretched arm, curb undaunted pursuit; the Agamemnon, crippled her muscular, yet manned, either hero his post invulnerable; immediate a council war, how meet superior danger; I harangue; veer the ship, her head lean westward, let men ascend the rigging, carpenters below, prepare crows, capstern bars, let bread, cheering wine, divine harmony, fire genius, immortal man; tars push on, beckon silent winds, invoke father Ocean, when sudden the enemy turn their backs, I heard their flap, I saw them skulk, retreat the point honour, fly the glorious field, leave bulwark Agamemnon, triumphant

possession, surrounding ocean; we shout victorious: heavenly visitant, next destined co-operate Paoli, assist Antigallican, the island of Corsica; him solicits protection, Lord Hood on the wing, to save from tyranny, and oppression; express, me to repel encroachment, drive the common enemy, from forbidden territory; and now the winged winds, delightful ken, verdant horizons, we hover enchant coasts, distress, out off, vex inveterate enemies; nor content, land pebbled strands, arms, to war, sack storehouses, toss arsenal contents the briny deep; re-embark veteran crews, capture stroll sail, intercept important despatches; whether skirmish, the bloody charge, bays, harbours, rattle around region harmonic thunder; pocket ports, forts, chagrined the enemy publish the world, confess the trying superiority our daring cruise; alarmed on watch towers, at their wits' end, note our arrival, wished for departure; we land Fiorenzo, the enemy unasked, annihilate his fleet, hurry some brine depths, some adrift run as they wist, others inflammable, howl affrighted ether; nor waited their lines ensanguined plains, flight ignominy, till Bastia oped protecting doors; interim, arrives our captain; resolved measures, and now the opening scene, land troops, tar optic seamen, nor lagged father Time his tight rein, or swift chariot wheel; myself brigadier, accompanied Hunt, Bullen, the brave Semicoles, hand unanimous, love, harmony, sage advance, heavy artillery drag perpendicular heights, immense difficulty, alone accomplished British seamen; union troops, equal zeal, same blood, same fire, stern the enemy, erect new

works, strengthen the old, plant thorn, briar difficulty; impious, defy humane summons, sent their gates, held forth honourable, just cause war; insulting acclaim, hot shot for your vessels, the thirsty sword, eager drench full draught, living precious human blood; determined we ascend battlement, armed fire, the devouring sword; a sudden signal, rainbow hue, an aloud call to humanity, our national character; we still ambitious war, we sang returning peace; weapons aside, as brethren; pomp, triumphant joy, Bastia possession, contiguous works, the citadel, and surround territory; fame as a meteor, sailed the enemy from Toulon; their object the single unprotected; our leader in quest; instant the Agamemnon me; and now the faithful needle, now the seraphic pole, their rout; nor long, they St. Tropez, wary in shore, 'neath contiguous batteries; slumbered the winds, rehearsal a calm, old Ocean lounged his billowed throne; the enemy overboard his boats, perspiring toil, and tugged his massy bulwarks, safe within the Gorgean shoals; meditate, we resolve an attack; but the winds, mum their counsel, a voice from heaven! and 'scaped the enemy, death unbent his bow, exalted canopy dispensed heroic roar; Hood their motions; me meanwhile arrive Calvi, in conjunction with my fellow Stuart, as military commander, lay siege tremendous batteries; drag artillery the field, seamen, well known seamen, their part as veterans renowned, plains battle; serve guns, shot, bullet hail sieve canopied towers; the enemy brave; till phantom famine, his meagre arrival, bid their town, the citadel, their immortal lives, prostrate our merciful feet; possession, songs

divine, refulgence gold, quadruped suns, and rowled meridian grandeur: I leave the town, the scene, the din of war, refreshing breeze, amid delightful charm; 'twas eve, the glorious sire of day ascends his western throne, etherial pomp, arrayed seraphic gold; whispering winds repose the trees, zephyrs romp the playful leaves, silent heaven's azure; not a cloud intrudes the holy scene, nature her evening lay, the muses chant, and gems array celestial field, twilight to rest the slumbering world, threw her green mantle on the peaceful globe; when sudden, an opening, before me, lonely cot, an aged sire seated a venerable block, the boasted repose reverend ancestors; hail master! afar from fatigues burdensome war, then the decline years, confirm temperate life, youth chaste, the passions reined; we thy hand, to aid your cause, fan patriotism throughout the isle; sire rehearse, what led the enemy, 'mid Corsican heroes, worthy enrolled Greece, or ancient Rome, heroes exultant defence their religion, invaded rights; begin the still evening friendly pleasing converse; animated in return, ah! England here, I know ye; fame thy prowess, and the name Nelson, visible yon perpendicular rocks; tragic, mournful, her honours to recite, her freedom, her struggles, cursed iniquitous inroad detested adversaries: know then, extensive our isle; indulged the liberal hand, bountiful nature, excellent harbours, havens repose, towering mountains, an affectionate embrace delightful anchorage; first the Moors, then the Pisans, kings renowned Arrogan, last the cruel Genoese, demon tyrants, armed iron sceptres; Theo-

dore, a Westphalian, land our isle; we struck his stately mien, his manners, imposing talents, crown king, heap regal dignity, imperial honours; him assiduous to procure arms, confer just reward, issue medallion, awhile subjection, fortified towns obstinate opponents; but ah! failing supply, adieu, his remnant life, he spends your glorious country; in vain we deplore, pray the court Versailles, couched pitiable affecting terms; flagitious and cruel, but the more resent our every petition; pour in troops, destroy standing corn, juicy vines, fragrant olives, fire villages, insult female purity, the active, robust our youth, hang fatal by the neck; reduced abject slavery, most deplorable condition; till the isle roused sense alarming duty, men, women, striplings, their lisping theme, the liberties the land, the liberties the land, we hail your bulwarks, hovering our coasts; England friend the oppressed, we sang her virtues, we sang the glory her mighty empire; our reliance, this memorable era, two leaders, Gaffori, and Matra; Matra, infamy his remembrance sneaking; favoured measures our enemies; the immortal Gaffori, uncontaminated 'mid vile corruption, long remembered his eloquence, a band of assassins advance with hungry weapons; epic he sang the distresses his country, her injured rights, her perjured honours, her intolerable wrongs; touched their hearts as with a live coal, rancour aside; his very murderers prostrate his feet; forgiveness implore, join his banner, inspired, seal their lives, the defence his glorious cause; heroic campaign; besiege holds, citadel fortresses, superior at bay numerous enemies, till the deceitful stab, flights his immortal

spirit, a blessed eternity; arms to war! revenge injured rights, fellow countrymen! invaded our rights, our liberties independence; ardent a pious prayer, heaven attentive, direct our thoughts Paoli, then at Naples, in the Neapolitan service; tutored intrepid, inspired the love his country, and the fame of glory; him we solicit; nor irresolute, land, at our head, youthful known, lead, animate the dread hour battle; his every nerve the welfare his empire, sings democrat, the laws revise, inculcate learning, beckon sublime arts, heavenly muses; adopted measures to repress abuse, the young, the rising generation, bend the pliant mind, know the only true God, his only begotten, the Saviour of mankind; we lift our voices, man to serve his king, and country as he wist; but, ah! the French; the Genoese, driven expelled, and Corsica this day might boast, as free, as flourishing a commonwealth, as e'er adorned the ancient Grecian states; worthy our leader, deserving honours his country, nor Sparta, renowned Thebes, can boast such zeal, such patriotism, availing himself the tyranny his oppressors, his only aim the welfare his country, and that attained, contentment his lot to be forgotten; his enemies offer him the sovereignty the isle, hear his spurning answer; let rocks flow melting the ocean, let stars confused their celestial career, let the centre orb, bare exposed, ere the warm blood around my glowing bosom, betray a cause, held sacred with the meanest Corsican; him veteran at bay superior enemies, till length compel obliged seek refuge benevolent shores, old England; twenty years absent, twenty years us enslaved tyranny, lawless

oppressors; father Time to pass, vengeance the kingdom of France, anarchy, ruin, for iniquity, spilt blood; up the isle to a man, the land one spirit, alond their rights, their liberty; communicate the immortal Hood, hence your arrival, hence the short annals my beloved country; thus the venerable sire; night rapid wheel'd the silent hours, and heaped celestial stars refulgent ether; me returned Calvi, anxious future, end the war gloriously, ardent the path, designed veteran superiors; we recruit lost strength, thinned battalions, sickness emaciate, declining death; the season roll, now invigorate, health, muscular, the soul celestial energy; fame, we listen, set sail the enemy; our commander in quest, sang old Ocean, up the rising winds, and scarce precipitant start, when signal their approach; reconnoitre, tactics, discipline divine, prepare battle; Englishmen, usual prowess, reverent, close with ardour, determined seal, send howl depths, as a mantle wrap flame bulwarks, or brimstone illumine heavens, rattle the solitary poles; they vastly superior, wary, distant harass, O wretched, when slackens man, the imagination on difficulty that ne'er existed; admire, we censure, superlative bulwark, wanting fire, lead, animate the path to immortal glory; sudden beset burst winds, our every energy, armed to war, defy superior metal, harangue noisy ocean; loud echo the storm, rebounded the stars, heaven; we ken distress, the enemy, Ca Ira one their embattled, gone her main, her fore-top, random her drunken, instant command, tars! cut off yon solitary; I order the helm starboard, the driver, the after sails brailed, shivered, and as the ship fell

off, peppered her my whole broadside; perfiens mountains high, suspend yawn oblivion, tatters, mizen, mizen sails, cross jack yards; memorable eve, darkness appal, twilight, gleam, thousand thunders, terrible night; we scale tempestuous heavens, mercy winds, roar billows, handed, wafted, lost whether foul contiguous enemies, jagged rocks, sneak reef, very alarmed, cape earth, powers enfuriate hell; most holy nocturnal, that inspired with sacred awe the inmost soul; length heavenly Aurora, behold her array, tinged rising gold; ocean fatigued, bid repose fury winds, mountain billows, our leader incessant manœuvre, his object single bulwark; fortunate myself, alongside Ca Ira, up the Censour, centre 'twixt each, I command brave tars, collected ye immortal, conquer or land yon havens immortalized; artillery, volies small arms, Englishmen, bristly as roused lions, terrible, thunder iniquitous heads, precipitate ranks, as grass beneath the mower's scythe; honourable the enemy, stood well their post; summoned our inmost to withstand superior weight, metal; numbers Britain born, sudden adieu, the Agamemnon ajar foundation, rocked, sung her keel, yet tenanted to claim the important moment, when slacken fire, when relieved the ear, rouse and astir, sweep wild war, hurry submission, nor respire bliss, nor a thought, how 'scape, or rallied energy, turn the scale the enemy's favour; length our opponent give up the combat; for mercy aloud, afloat arms, that beseeched merciful cessation; Andrews, Britannian dip, fame gone errand, express, further corners earth; we arrive Fiorenzo, myself

despatched, co-operate the Austrian, Sardinian armies, led the brave Vins; hurry, drive the relentless common enemy, from the Riviera di Genoa; full sail; when lo unexpect, sudden, the enemy's fleet; instant efforts our part, 'scape their determined grasp; flew signals, the winds their favour, nimble pursuit, a beauteous scene, as on terrestrial plains, the stag superior, leads proud the tuneful chase; danger, backward career, circuitous, wily led the foe, repose the British fleet; oft the compass, oft refulgence, glow pole, the helm, now father Ocean, now winds, now gales, land! land! our commander at Fiorenzo, watering, refitting, amazed myself, then my precipitant heels swift footed bulwarks, that sudden a stop short; all hands aloft, Englishmen prodigious ply, but ah! difficulty unthought, dormant winds, vexatious calms, impossible pursue, close the wanting enemy; sluggish, tardy, becalmed crystal surfaces, one their embattled cut off, instant honourable capture, nor roar the canopy heaven, nor death his mandate from the world of spirits; yet scarce her deck, uplift acclaim, Britannia's divine shadow, when sudden suspicious smoke, and rowled her bulwark sides, sought slowly azure, burst flame, immense, fury untameable, alarm throughout the fleet, boats overboard, haste, snatch life, the dying, petrified dead; some despair, plunge tomb depths, others insane, fling themselves an awful eternity; some excruciate agony, others pious entrance, realms everlasting bliss; deaf, dumb, darkness, adieu the sire of day, a sudden check the revolve sphere, surround waste, as suburbs, bordering the

nefarious damned; scene unsung, hell storm; timbers, limbs, brain yet warm, the enemy fortunate, embrace calamity, moor a bastion anchorage, their gulph Frejus; we again set sail, enter Alasscio, one revolve hour, capture nine sail, flung two others pointed rocks, besprung float wreck, brine billows; arms, ammunition, a valued seize; the enemy straightened his movement, the enemy that enraged cursed our heroic; prudent cessation, claims refit the Agamemnon, war worn, bullet scars; arrive Leghorn, her masts, her yards, torn canvass, damaged her hull, thrapped cable around, to secure with bandage, her wounded keel; there she reposed; myself, her immortal crew, inland rural, lounge verdant scenery, extatic nature.

Returns, recalled our leader, him Britannian, clad powdered honours, and rewarded glory; Jervis succeeds; hero exalted, known, lead battle, victory, superb squadron, the glory his country, a father to the meanest, secure their affections, inflexibly firm, mixt gentleness, love; friendship pure, blessing from heaven; we sang life's fleeting path, what skill, what danger, make known our titles, emulant fresh honours, king, country, nor disgrace, horrid! ye depths, thou beneath caverns, us everlasting oblivion, ere from the science, or shrink! we resume Genoa's mouth, cut off supply, succour our allies, subdue superior genius, his plan, his schemes chagrin, from ocean, eternally bar all needful assistance; extended wing telagraphic, fortunate, in sight six sail, laden ordnance, superb store, destined besiege Mantua; I beckon brave tars, hurry at will under contiguous batteries, then landing, bid mum artillery, ere we entrapped the

whole; amusing capture, plans, military schemes, routs, maps all nations, dissected minds superior enemies, battle points, ambush, intrigue, admired wisdom, worthy genius, the thought immortal conquerors; precipitant, the enemy compelled, raises the siège, gorgeous array, defiance sacred law, enters the peaceful town Leghorn; thither our way, cut off resource, blockade his den; interim land my countrymen on Elba's isle to secure Porto Ferrago: Time's unerring wheel, broad pendant hoisted La Minerve, La Blanche in company, and scarce proud propel cruise, when sudden at midnight we hail two Spanish sail, the Sabina, the Ceres, the Sabina, known light, that shot from her conspicuous poop; instant war, I signal La Blanche, fight the Ceres, myself 'longside the Sabina, 'twas night, meridian dead, nor moon, celestial deities, our object victory, or resigned sable arms, the king of terrors; three hours incessant fighting, ere discomfit, a slackened fire, low bending down their reverant, cessation, 'mid ebony etherial, nor dawn as yet, nor yet Aurora on her way to gild the courts of heaven; meanwhile the Ceres, escapes her opponent's grasp; horizoned, ear cropped, 'mid hoop halloo, ye sneak, why fly the glorious field? And lo! the rising east, scarce now delightful harbinger, when in sight another enemy, our prize we loosen, summon remaining strength, resigned the will heaven, prepare immediate battle; breast opposed, yard arm, furious, the enemy, a hideous rash, but ah! a check, stop short, they man the sails, wishful the winds, invoke father Ocean, successful prayer; the billows heave, the gales arose, she fled; earnest the magnet, an opposite steer,

avoid our veteran track; victory we sang, triumphant aloud rang around circuit; onward elate; unexpect four sail suspicious, and soon confirmed, their vast superiority; two line embattled, two sprightly youths, prudent manœuvre, nerve bulge, I signal La Blanche, her own defence, interim myself a labyrinth dance, jerked serious ocean; crippled so late our prize, we leave at mercy's shift, soon her unfortunate fate, nor did she resign, till gone her masts; we witness her capture, we commiserate her fate; ourselves unpursued, the Spanish captain my prisoner, I hand him his purple blade, I hand him safe Carthagen land, that in the late sudden and trying conflict, so nobly fought the welfare his country: the eve, O heavenly visitant, adieu this inland sea, destined the Gut; a convoy under protection, peeped sacred stations fortified enemies, having on board the brave Elliot, Cockburn, Hardy, Drinkwater, heroes that signalized shone the late sudden and trying combats: O for a heavenly voice, inspired, touch sacred chords, Gibraltar sing, that so late braved man, laughed fiery elements; responsive billows, us the Atlantic, and scarce now lost the mazy rear, when sudden full view the Spanish fleet; instant my nearest way St. Vincent's cape, to communicate the pleasing intelligence; nor long ere join the squadron, shift my flag, board the Captain; twilight drew nigh, seraphic limbed the powdered pole; Englishmen, nor eyelid closed, nor slept a thought, veteran aloft, either deck, each his sacred post, and scarce now Aurora, saffron her golden car, when indulged full view superb enemies, and our adored leader, the signal, form most compact order of

sailing; the sable nod, prepare for battle; vastly superior, twenty-seven the line, ten frigates, and a youth, led their Cordova, pinnacled his proud bulwark, one hundred thirty-six artillery, heaven upward majestic, groaning unfathomable; our muster but fifteen sail, four frigates, a sloop, and cutter; we rely maritime discipline, divine aid, the God of battle, the giver victory; anxious their midst, anxious bugle theme, momentary communication from the Culloden, Bonne Citoyenne, how stationed, their every move, fatal confident, too far dispersed, Jervis their defect; down dash, cuts the line, instant atack, compels nine sail, fly, haul larboard; Troubridge in the Culloden, most tremendous opposed; our leader joy, nor allowed the enemy form, his tuneful nerve, battle central, victory at a beckon, bid blow seraphic fame; one hand nautical skill, t'other stern death, thousand thunders, livid flash lumined heaven; meanwhile myself stationed the rear, leisure peruse surrounding field; I beheld the cut off, their coward linger, then instant wore, stood t'other tack, and engaged the terrible Santissima, in line the San Josef, the Salvador del Mundo, the San Nicholas; near an hour, as Teneriffe 'mid tempest roar, as rocks, whirlpool ocean,—the enemy on the alert, armed vengeance, if but to sound, the never yet heard theme, Britannia subdued, her virgin sway, no longer imperial the billowed orb; 'mid gloom, rack, roar, eager the mind, glory, honour, that outshine the stars, shall live, when worlds, when heavens expire; havoc, desolation, I harangue, sing adamant tars, look well ye immortal; amazed the enemy, up the Blenheim, her

Frederick, forcing 'tween us, 'gan horrid salute, heaven very alarmed, earth, ocean rang; an unknown voice, touched by the elbow, we listen the divine oracle, heroes! gather laurel, or pious exit, heaven your eternal home; the enemy confused, some foul, some double unwelcome, some strain their might, their main, others untractable, untameable, Collingwood, in the Excellent, upbearing, forced the Isidro an instant surrender; we hail long looked relief, actually engaged five the enemy's embattled; him gave the San Nicholas, a most tremendous broadside; series assembled valour, arrived the hour battle; some single yoked, others woe harass, a few cold hearted, aloof, meagre eye witnesses; myself abreast the San Nicholas, the San Josef, entangled their mizen, jaw locked, determined subdue, or a dive errand everlasting depths; the Captain inebriate, glorious wounds, intrepid scars, useless the line, lost her foretop, not a sail, a shroud, her very wheel hurled nether havens; I harangue veteran boarders, sword inhand heroes, plantyour eternal standard their wanting sockets, remember national honour, ne'er stained, celestial add, her annals Britain; see, see, now the moment, time, yon heavens ready, hand your illustrious worth, agaze posterity; astarboard the helm; Miller judicious, the sprit sail-yard over the enemy's poop, due routine, locked her mizen shrouds, halloo, shuddered the horizon, myriad thighs lamped further hemisphere; inspired march, grappling irons headed the invincible Berry, the first that trod the enemy's territory, the first that leaped mizen chains; meanwhile myself, plunge cabin windows, loud crack doors

uproot, as Samson, gates Gaza; first their brigadier bid begone eternity, inroad the quarter deck, o'er slaughtered heaps, the prostrate fallen; some their last moments, call on death, cut short their sufferings; incessant din, harmony, eloquent wounds, God leaders, sinewy tars, snap brittle weapons, resume the enemy's, nor satiate till the pity humane call, mercy, mercy, grant us our fleeting breath; known heroes my heels, push the quarter gallery, thence the cabin, to the quarter deck; pell-mell, chagrin vermilion eddy; Berry possession the poop, his own arm down haul, uprear enchant, beauty, glory, all nations, victorian awave unhung seraphic beauty: possession, won their bulwark, superb routine, and signed her trophy, the long annals everlasting fame.

BOOK THE EIGHTH.

SCARCE momentary cessation, our souls relieved death chorus, when lo, sudden annoyed, musketry, hand aim from the stern gallery the San Josef, her poop amidship, direct weather beam, cumbersome impeded, necessary manœuvre, atack disciplined war; the enemy superior footing, 'gan terrible; nor our artillery a peint, nor ample return, them at bay, rout, hurry, dislodge; not a moment to lose, either quit the prize, or ascend their bulwark, armed death, attendant tombs; to quit the glorious prize, wanton retrograde, stain gilded laurels, my soul repugnant, scorned the thought, resolved, then, them board, hush their battery, their rifle, flew signals, reinforcements at a beckon, countrymen, arms, to war! Westminster-Abbey, or victory, and once inspired, what mortal shall presume, withstand an Englishman, the dread hour battle; as flood-gates burst lucid barriers, as refulgence azure ether, we bid dilatory death, come forward; o'er slippery gore, a shout! rocks rebellowed, heaven blackened, ocean alarmed, appalled the foe, his prostrate beam, anxious, aloud, spare ye merciful, spare, stay

the carnage, snatch from death, very despair; we hush grim tyran, hail kingly, their bulwark, captain, through blood that marked track socket standards, Britannian hue, up hoisted 'mid divine harmony, enfluted victory; enthroned the quarter deck, solitary captive leaders, temporary enthroned, to me the bended knee, demeanour resigned, 'companied diamond hilts, a gallant tar on my right, under his arm, in heaps celestial store; triumphant levee, the immortal Berry, Pearson, Sykes, Hudson, Cooke, veterans a mighty throng, known Agamemnon, her varied war jaunts the billowed Mediterranean; the Captain, a perfect wreck; lean, she languishes, boats with care, gentle disentangle, preserve foundering adieu; still superior the enemy, proud float embattled; our leader his signal, bring to, we form a square, central the prizes, crippled our dons, unmanageable from shattered limbs, the Salvador del Mundo, conspicuous enclosed, music her decks, Britannia Rule, never resign her rights, or abject bow a foreign sceptre; I shift my flag, board La Minerve, thence the Irresistible, there it remained, till refitted the Captain; the enemy meanwhile, afar inglorious, final adieu, air, earth, victory acclaim uplift, sonorous trump everlasting fame.

Celestial muse, all hail, shed influence; etherial dignity, king, country, constitution, eternal bulwarks, come with your heavenly train, harmonious, come chant the glory her site, throned liberty, science, divine arts, heavenly muses; Atlantic swum, the enemy a bulge flight, nor dare distant reconnoitre, our march, ultimate designs; me admiral the superb

Theseus, standard shout, rill amazed heavens, myself, immortal muster, harmony, joy, a fervent zeal, bent bolden battle; memory at hand, the refreshing past, father Winter, arctic divinity, Britain, her pious retreats, her celestial character; Arabic, scent, hue, pulp, eastern ocean, a world, harmony, love, what peril, danger, heaven the way led, manly fight, battles, king, my endeared; stationed Cadiz, watch the enemy, basined 'neath artillery, blockade, guard briny inlets, cut off supply, nor indulgent grant foreign intelligence; peep dawn, aspiring morn, meridian, slumber midnight, ear, eye, rouse their defence, watchful our hover; interim council, how wake, fan flames war, armed fire, lank death, confuse their squadrons, sacred dens; pressing eloquence, heroes attent; the moment, illumine their town, the fleet, agreed; myself descends the Theseus, land, led the Thunder bomb, covered armed launches, barges the fleet; the thunder bomb, depicted wrath, pent matter, aroar heavens; 'twas night, each his post, anxious the signal, once to unfurl, lightning, artillery, alive bombs; alarmed, the enemy awakes to arms, a sudden visit, our object the citadel, chance perhaps may explode their infernal magazine; well done either side, old Night affrighted, mute, fled the solitary poles; snatch peep, enchanting scene, ocean, the harbour, sublime distant hills, nature roused her nocturnal slumber; the enemy array long causeway strands, our sweep compelled a turn about, precipitant hurried within his iron gates; then their flotilla, resolved lesser war; the enemy manifest superiority his protecting grape; alongside their commander, sword in hand, desperate

our roused, we leave vomit bombs, the sword we drew to repel impious invasion; our muster but fourteen; myself, Freemantle, ten bargemen, the cockswain, faithful Sykes, Sykes, that me preserved from the jaws death; twice his arm, his head that twice averted determined stabs athwart opponents; nor did the enemy surrender, till eighteen his number, handcuffed despatched broad barriers an awful eternity; we visit their hold, inner hide, inflammable meat irksome, at will retreat, arrive the fleet, when eastern limb, to rest retiring stars.

Aurora rose, and now the monarch sun, ascends refulgent way; we land the Theseus, jovial the past, publish her shores Britain, thence wafted perusal all nations; the fleet an inner scout, stretched from wing, from shore to shore, drew iron net, the town, surround territory; oft sudden leave, hid creeks, basined havens, wily make known hasty departure, but in vain them entice open sea; superior worth, tedious hours, how form, fight; brave tars at a mark, supple ascend the rigging blythe, 'mid enamelled ocean, ramp billow, azure horizons, nature elevated her purple chariot, refulgent glory, etherial night studded the grandeur of heaven: resolved our leader, an attack Teneriffe, land Santa Cruz, secure surrounding heights, arrest from the enemy the heaven-prop Peak; agreed, myself the command; four sail the line, three frigates, the Fox cutter, nor did we embark troops, confide marines, brave tars, set sail, ardent celestial palm, the palm of victory; store our minds, soundings, its rugged site, aware deceitful breakers, father Ocean that

formed at the month; nor forgetful strength the enemy, aided impregnable, minute in numbers, majestic tyrannic, vast region around; diversified run; nature a friendly visit, her realm we muse, her empire; each morn, look heavenward, Great God, us guide in council, lead future glory; reverent the sabbath, our souls to worship, man, degenerate man, the plan, the scheme eternal redemption; tossed sublime ocean, oft signal bring to, the faithful compass, serener midnight, nor unobserved lunar, hand us our destination: adverse tides, hideous currents, worse calm, upstart winds, lightnings, thunders, Aurora her chase the stars of heaven, the sun's superb ascent, glorious blaze, enthroned western cars, mother earth revolving her huge back, to meet the queen of heaven, attendant trains, isolated stars, empurpled zones; at length the far distant Peak, we check our course, hover unseen lands; interim council war, I order a thousand veterans, under conduct the brave Trowbridge, Hood, Thompson, Miller, and Waller, in boats readiness at a moment's warning, proceed the attack; twilight closed the solemn day, a last, a final day, numbers our train; and now in six divisions, myself, Bowen, the brave Freemantle, regulate, led; I command sponge proceed; land 'tween the forts, the town, to war instant, summon the governor, but ah! calamity unthought, reef, surf, yawn depths, a shallow sea, infernal spout, worse fret billows, incessant ply, we war maddened billows, our hands but slacken, down tempestuous nether distant sea; its approach under very high land, 'loft vales, whistle mountains, the winds

rush either from ocean, or rude squall, from elevate region; night pitch darkness, the fleet, the boats, banded, wafted, in vain our earlier arrival, as planned to insure success; half gun shot, the falcon foe, echo hills, signals beamed, and flamed, and waved, and flew, and heard, the blast, the trump, to arms! to war! bravo; I aloud, heroes! look well the landing place; but the wary enemy, night awful, nor ray, nor salutary beam, save tremulous intrude, that at intervals, summoned our metal, I resolve, divert with the line embattled, but in vain aroar pounders, that shook the frigid poles; our banner, death, and cope the king of terrors: I insist onward, onward the boats, divulged our schemes inward springs the human mind, what havoc from thy arm relentless death, man mortal, blind the future, nor possible, dive depths futurity; some random distracted, some miss the mole, some dashed fury waves, some literally upset, their immortal all, handed an eternal destiny; meanwhile, myself, Freemantle, Thompson, the brave Bowen, the crews five other boats, land the mole, an outbattery demolish, 'mid roar, awakened skies, forked lightning, artillery thunder, the enemy most worthy, Englishmen in groups, compelled, arms their last enemy; night profound, and horror reign, we hope assail the citadel, but their terrible heights, tops houses, each wall a fortress, nor us possible ascend bulwark aright, the vault of death; a sudden summons the immortal Bowen, his hand the nail, his right-hand the hammer, his last breath, the defence his glorious country; hero, worthy her pages Britain; former hour, conquering

the Mahowsa, French La Vestale, and fell the sanguine field, yon Peak Teneriffe, a glorious monument to commemorate his illustrious worth; heaps melancholy, pitiable maimed, thinned our heroic, I command cessation, a nod re-embark, a cool retreat, 'mid landscape hell; backward tempestuous, our embattled afar, submitted proud battlements the terrible deep; we arrive veteran countrymen, the sea, the waves, a higher hand, bid ocean furious and our schemes destroy; numbers celestial territory, jack tars a pyramid mound, maimed, some lost service, heroes harmonic, King George, the glory their country; the Fox, her order, land the mole, push the square, center, beauty the town, wait further orders, or as circumstances required, conquer whole force, the enemy; half gun-shot, skilful the foe, a murderous aim, tremendous, shook masts, hull, a momentary startle divine prowess, her illustrious crew; Gibson shrugged shoulder, significant smile death bluster attitude divine, pointing his men, yon goal heroes, everlasting fame; but ah! (heaven signed the inexorable decree,) a last fire, gaped her chinks, her planks, ocean enormous swallow, closed each cyprus head in everlasting peace; meanwhile Troubridge, Hood, Miller, the brave Waller, fortune favouring their career, land south the citadel; a spout surf, banded some the boats open sea, boiling depths, that on its surface, whistled the rude tempest storm; some filled briny billows, some stove rocks; fragment, ruinous bespangled, Afric's distant golden shores; peril, hardship, ammunition damped, hunger a meagre stare, onward, determined advance, in a trite over the line

wall, actual possession the town; meeting the square, there hoped myself, fellow-countrymen, waiting our never arrived assistance, day dawned, Aurora, shone, prodigious strength the enemy; not a moment to lose, instant orders storm the citadel, but lo! the ladders are lost, yea wholly impracticable the attempt; peep artillery, every chink, every avenue, every corner; Troubridge serene, commandant, hear! unless we march in peace the landing place, and embark our squadron, determined war, we fire the town, your rock towers, your immortal attack with the cruel bayonet; humane he heard; the female town to protect from shriek, despair, peace he sang, bid still tumult, commotion no more; provision, conjugal refresh, flew ope hospitals, affectionate our wounded, the pious dead, military honours indulged their last, their melancholy retreat; leader Antonio, we sang thy virtues; embarked the mole, wine, biscuit, a tender concern, the heaving bosom, gushing tear, final adieu, nor regret melancholy toil, a lesson! future lift the panting soul, upmost fame; destined return; direct Old England, and now in sight, hail everlasting, hail highest, nor noxious death, savage roar, no never her heavenly shores, rude clang resounding war; ocean reared aspect, zephyrs' balm, the breezes joy, upward our souls, adored the God of heaven, for mercies past, safe return, ever a guardian hand, his creatures to protect from unseen danger; when lo! sudden, my wondering eyes, celestial scenery, either horizon, towering aloft azure, canopy veil, hid the sire of day; sublime transparency, at once immortal field, central the vessel, locked golden anchors marble

below blocks; limb'd hemispheric, war, peace, series late history, amazed, ether landscape, ourselves shut in, nor sun, nor shore, hid enchant spectacle; first her parliament Great Britain, Peers, Lords, and Commons, national affairs, oratory, welfare the realm; some war, her rights, her maritime glory, others their weightier argument, nor plunge in haste the baneful stream; King George of immortal memory, jealous the honour his crown, rights the people, enthroned refulgent gold, princes dominion, the flower his empire, his awful nod, the stamp, the fate of worlds; war, living war, to arms the empire; I saw living character the unfortunate Louis, his trial, doom, his calm demean, divine fortitude, the scaffold, the unfeeling multitude, death lifting the dread guillitine; Dumourier at Antwerp, capitulation now Breda, now Klemdest, Gertruydenburg, the fortified Williamstadst, hope easy ascent, add superb list, enrolled records everlasting fame; I saw English battalions, unison Dutch hoats, hurrying his retreat, a backward flight Antwerp; Miranda investing Maestritcht, Clairfoot passing the Roer, the veteran Saxe-Cobourg, driving the enemy very gates Leige; nor alone Netherlands, the low lands, pomp majestic war, the Rhine, swum azure billows, lesser waves; Prussia's king in person, aiding the capture Mentz; blythe whistle combats South France, Toulon, Marseilles, our gallant countryman Sir Sydney, visible from lumined heavens, crackling wastes, loud thunders echoing the stars; bulwarks capturing Tobago, tower's celestial hue, oratory inspired, eloquent Lefers, the intrepid Cuyler; posses-

sion forts Jeremie, grandeur the East Indies, Braithwaite seizing the important Pondicherry, ranging refulgent coasts, Britannian limb, depict settlements contiguous Bengal, along spicy shores Malabar; the campaign in Holland, Austrians, British, opponents, fighting, bleeding, warhoop, lank death, retreat, capture, the land harassed, laid desolate from march armies, most desolate career, the Spaniards, peril, disaster, thousands slain, the victorious French, serene rampart embattlements, command at bay the king of terrors, while quick march, reap everlasting fame; capturing Bellegarde, impregnable towns Figuera, Fontarabia, Passages, fortress St. Sebastian; the Sardinians, Austrians, the common enemy; Dumas storming redoubts, respectful at bay, nor dare bolden enemies, rush furious embattled; pleased we peruse late history; the immortal Hood, his fleet, his manœuvre, the awful blast, and summons blow, curl indignant smoke, death, his alight mast-head, headlong descent; we view, listen, heard roar artillery, cheer, hail, some disabled, some lucid tombs, some capture, some escape, victory, fame, gild laurel her illustrious Howe; I heard the muses chaunt Britain's sons, her army, navy, emulant honour, immortality; surrender citadel Bastia, afloat bulwarks contiguous billows; capture Martinique, Grey, Jervis, fort Bourbon, and now the whole isle, now the finger beckon Guadaloupe, dependencies Mariegalante, Deseada, the lesser Saintes; St. Lucia, 'mid refulgent suns, nature her beauty, her virginity, heightened Britannian gem; I saw the war in Poland, Koscuisco contending the Prussians, expel new acqui-

sitions, his merch Cracow, then Warsaw, defeat Russian corps under the brave Woronzof; the king of Prussia entering Poland, his advance, success, ultimate retreat; Suwarof, Koscuisco, the sanguine battle, thousands headlong cavern tombs, the Polish leader, an honourable captive the enemy's hands; Suwarof's advance, entrée Warsaw, red hot the sword, thousands slain, their cry heavenward, vengeance! vengeance! ocean atlas attitude England's proud structures, her bulwarks, her wooden walls, Hotham capturing two embattled, Bridport's victory, shook foundation L'Orient; visible discomfited enemies, capture Good Hope, Craig, Elphinstone, Alured Clarke, council war, their imperial march, victory, immortality; capitulate, sign, glorious possession her behalf Great Britain; Indies east, the Dutch war, Englishmen a long list captured settlements, first Ceylon, then Malacca, Cochin, Chinsuira, Amboyna, the spicy Banda; Elphinstone, bolting bar gate ocean inlet; compel immediate surrender two embattled, three frigates, two thousand veterans; St. Vincent's cape, Jervis, superb enemies, the memorable day, series display, myself receiving my opponent's sword; capture Trinidad, illustrious heroes, azure enroll, gilded titles, 'mid bomb explode, 'mid hell's infernal roar; Camperdown; Duncan, the routed Dutch, eight beautied zones, prostrate prizes, celestial gleam the heroes' temples, and closed the enchanting spectacle, myself, amazed crews, long enamoured, grew either horizon, sailed, fled zenith heaven, distant, near, as wished the will, inspiration drew, England superior throated enemies;

what her august senate, Peers, Lords, and Commons, toil, fatigue, angel march countrymen, bolden, confident, as men subdue, or sudden adieu, their last gasp, the service, king, country, and affectionate joys; hardship, patience, perseverance, a sneer hideous clime, night, enraged elements, savage beasts, men, immortal man, significant boast the king of terrors, a heavenly home beyond the grave, reserved for virtue and illustrious worth; holy lesson, fan the soul, the unconquerable will, genius rare, respire victory, everlasting fame; tutored Britain, her laws, her government, how preserved the peasant, his birthright, a governor, sweet liberty, tolerated the narrow path, realms immortality; delightful theme, delightful scene, gradual disperse; and now the glorious sun, we ken azure skies, diamond strands, refulgent nature, limbed her extatic brightness, as mark the summer's eve, when bask, when pomp retiring gold, the sire of day, sings and regrets his called adieu: I land the venerable shores my beloved country; honours await, first royalty, covered as termed triumphant glory; addresses the Admiralty, powers fountain head, superb freedom, London, Bristol, invested grand order the Bath; hail king George of immortal memory, princes, dignity, indulged with holy fear his sacred sceptre, the monarch speaks; rehearse hero thy career, sure destined everlasting laurel, bright realms bliss; then sudden a shaking; reverent each aghast, strange, silence awed to a solemn stillness; father Time the midst, his train unnumbered generations, the sun, revolving gems, outskirt satellites, central stood his

l chariot, whose wheels unseen, eternal round to
the throne of God; him reference back, unfolds
scenery; astonished the British monarch, an exact
ay, engaged four actions the enemy, ocean, tactics,
e, cheer, artillery disturbed heavens; rapid suc-
on, three actions with frigates, dash, cut out of
our, 'mid bastion shores, sieve batteries, six battle
ten actions boats, land, command batteries,
orable sieges Bastia, the renowned Calvi; assisted
re seven sail the line, six frigates, four corvettes,
n privateers, near fifty sail merchantmen; the
beheld; time's unfolding roll, past career, one era
l billows heavenward, mackerel sublime, English-
the enemy, chagrined the one compel sense duty,
ish central, cut the line, roar, roar startled depths,
the revolve, heave unnatural waves watery
es; cheer, allowed pride, bulwarks the depths, some
ed flame, some bomb rush, spurn earth, rebound
ic scenery, as woeful suburbs, bordering the
l teeth damned, melancholy wrecks, slaughtered
, death glutted his valley dry bones, hum, tuneful
ach victory, the enemy turned backs, inglorious
hted tombs, led tow line battle, vermilion seas,
ning surfaces, gored afloat limbs, brain, carcase,
ate immortal, harbinger joy, heroes singing,
ne, won the combat plain; death spit, artillery
s, how cope terrific batteries, conversant gleam,
metal, brave true danger, laugh precipices, per-
cular descent, an awful eternity; sail open boats,
d infernal, uplift trump, resound blast war,
s destroy, snatch basin embrace, land perilous

shores, seize bastion towns, bid capitulate, battle lead, big everlasting fate; Aurora beckoning refulgent Atlas, groaning a world of heroes, train the muses, graces divine, peace, offspring heaven, these my king, father Time that indulged, then waved adieu, then vanished fled: embosomed Burnham to restore, at ease presage awake, intrepid, hand invigorate to pursue paths duty, prudent respite, terrible arouse, listen the summons, true the trump the standard true, composed death's awful vale, while trudge heavenward everlasting way; released, nor midnight watch, sultry clime, nor element contend, exchanged health, serener theme, strengthen the frame, the human mind; England, flourishing, free; seated Britannia, shield, spear, conspicuous liberty, muses, her virtues, chant her glory, hail most happy, isolate, detached, as the pole star, tributary nations that revolve, led her immaculate genius; imperial ocean her guardian, wooden walls to protect her holy repose, isle to the stars; her laws, her eternal constitution, the bend from highest pinnacle, sweet liberty, free as air, the man, his cot, dependent all; what her ancient lineage, kings, princes, her poetic wise, monarchs their regal dignity, heroes, statesmen, each his fulfil part, hoist gigantic the proud structure towering etherial; nobles, peers, revered dons, national affairs, equilibrium, eloquent harangue, concord, unanimity, invulnerable bond, brave vengeful worlds; debate, free speech, delightful, sing posterity her golden era, congratulatory thanks her commanders, whether billowed, or distinguished ensanguined plains, alike the goal, victory, eternal renown; tars trium-

phant decks, bullet mien, on a par the eternal poles; terrible field proud battle, commiserate, enliven, heal, cheer, raise, sing fallen enemies; converse how call, prompted, defend king, country, whether lucid, or land, free Britain, that fire, collected zeal, emulant bright examples everlasting fame; her fleets, squadron commerce, in return, grateful, beauty all lands, fragrant sail, groan billow depths, texture merchandise either Indies, waft unknown coasts, pacific afar, industry, wealth, amaze wondering nations, reverent aloud hail, spicy return, heap nature her divinity, her virgin torrid luxuries; whole earth her worth, circulate bliss, careful rising generations, the pliant mind, man's sole dependance, passengers life's precarious stage, corrupt, degenerate, forfeited favours the Most High; a way dignified Almighty justice, to restore primeval dignity, death unbolts prison clay tenement, pinion wings celestial flight, the regenerated soul, blissful plains immortality; principles instil, king, laws, bulwark constitution, peace, social arts, conjugal bliss, parental obedience, to battle at the trump of war, heroes immortalized; female worth, reverent amour all lands, adored every clime, virgin most seraphic beauty; what her metropolis, her citizens, Thames, her amphitheatral, golden palaces, seat her kings, her senate, merchants as noblemen, what hardihood, toil, o'er seas, lordly ocean, brave hollow unfathomable, laugh hurrican hubbub; her trade, free beck all nations, empires nabob, revere her sacred, her venerable character; hail Britain, seat immortal muses, science, sister arts, wisdom her office, fan the aspiring mind,

point lily ascent, cupolas divine; holy her illustrious, kings, heroes, naval, military, veterans that bled, poets that sang, gifted of heaven, inspired to recite heroic harmony; statesmen, worth, genius architectural, the painting muse, Urania, heaven of heavens, etherial to mortal man, laws, divine wheel, harmony suns, dependant worlds; what her structures, St. Paul's superb dome, ken silver Thames, beauty, wealth, power unknown, her national bank, her museum, nature her choice collection, immaculate, hymning her great Creator; royal her exchange, mansion imperial, foreign tribes agaze thronged streets, friendship, virtues, wisdom store, barter joy, industry the people, charity that divine spirit, anxious eternal welfare mankind, worship the one true God, Father, Son, and Spirit, God the Father, wondrous love, commune man through his only begotten, the Spirit that sanctifieth, disarm the king of terrors, a welcome messenger to conduct the immediate presence a holy God; hail! empire to the stars; everlasting fame her monarchs, princes, her wise, able the nation, captains old Ocean, men supremely brave, emulant glory; celestial hue her azure shores, her coasts the silver surge, majesty romp, billow swell, play pebble strands, tumble golden sand, or dash becoming fury barriers perpendicular; sublime roar ages, ages roll, till earth yon heaven's oblivion; luxury inland, tint, cluster gem, scenery unsung, hill, vale, pearl stream, burst landscape, enchanting view, immortal green; cities, towns, rural steeples, opening dawn, refreshing breeze, twilight merid, the soul's retreat; never her shores foreign encroachment, no

sickly beam, noxious chill, the secret hiss, or stare infernal glare, nor savage yell, midnight roar, nor enervate gale, kiln blast, or flatulent alarm, never, no; the sun proud leads eternal seasons, beams her repose, reveres her site, lave burst springs, meander, enamel cold, pure warm, or bubbling sing; blest isles, a paradise; a lounge, a tour her fragrant land, elysian stroll her Stour, her Longleat park, thy lovely scenery Warminster, hills, down, and pious cop, and carpet plains, and shaded fields, and holy retreat, my country! profoundest hail! may heaven continue, add the long list, her poets, her heroes, her divine worth, lengthened inscribed everlasting ages.

BOOK THE NINTH.

AND now the close the fleeting year, father Winter enthroned, the one hand, time's annual career everlasting eternal adieu, t'other an afar beckon the distant spring; again the swelling seas, led bulwark Vanguard, having a convoy under protection the inlet Tagus; St. Helens, lost intrude earth, met virgin spring, the northern blasts retire, south winds blew, ocean sublime, lengthened days, suns dilatory western journies; fame, the enemy set sail; joyful azure plain, having my command, Orion, Alexander the line, Caroline, Flora, Emerald, Terpsichore frigates; lengthened extreme, heroes aloft, anxious, sing their beloved countrymen; elate Gibraltar, our errand war, our carol battle, sing victory, but ah! calamity unthought, scarce hid enclosed ocean, element brew, impetuous winds, in fits the storm descends; forked lightnings, a hollow grumble, as if heaven slight rehearsal, ere ten thousand tempest, blast, hideous yell, perilous, banded, perpetual jar, through the memorable day gigantic prepare, meet wrath elements as the stoutest veteran;

dreaded eve, night worse, howled the winds, chagrined terrible bluster, bulwarks etherial ballasted, or distracted o'erhang unfathomable; tempestuous dark, impossible any signal, dismal as death's vale, nor lucid ray, nor known fate beloved countrymen; wild affright, first over the ship sides, came tumbling our main-top, then the mizen, ajar bolts, we implore Aurora's limb, lament her dilatory wheels eastern boundary; I determine wear, scud before the gale, but lo! the foremast in three pieces, alike the bowsprit, and our combined succeeded but in wearing the ship a remnant the sprit sail; the storm assuages, the fury winds subside, ocean reclines his weary head; unseen the frigates, at a loss whether afloat, or founder, hurried an unfathomable destiny; blythe start, lament our absent, obliged close, interim La Mutine, hercaptain, pleasing intelligence, ten embattled, a fifty-gun vessel, on their way reinforce, full powers me, all hail, jovial spread wing, 'twas noon, refulgence as a mantle clothed the rotund; we descry, acclamation, joy, at eve a junction; imperial, hoist enchant hue, defy the globe, shouts, universal shout, rilled hallelujahs the distant stars; aspire battle, captains, men, supremely brave, night, day, the great guns, train supple, fancy mixed inveterate combat; superb review, tuneful the muses, ocean responsive, virgin nature a visit her golden chariot; hail! passing sail, given answer, the enemy our immediate vicinity; I despatch La Mutine, search, range the Roman coast, ourselves his heels, day, night, led hurried my embattled; first Corsica, plunged the passage between Planosa, miraculous defiance, nearest

cut the Roman coast; join La Mutine, her illustrious captain, in vain discover the enemy's track; I nod the bay Naples, no information, very chagrined, boiled our ire to reflect so long the foe, had trod unmolested the open seas; fair wind, thy passage Faro, acclaim Sardinian, fame as a meteor, the enemy their grasp Malta; away, away, majestic sail, winds gigantic, through morn, eve, midnight, O had the enemy alike spirit, most tremendous, sent plunged awful depths by the dire arm terrific jam; pass a Genoese, learn the enemy's departure, their eastern steerage, we range, vex, scout Egyptian, laugh the seven gape Nile; Aboukir, Alexandria, pass by elevated Pharos, Pharos of old, built by divine hands; disappoint, our wits' end, a northern track Caramania, then coasted southern shores Candia, night, day, swell billows, full press 'countering perilous an opposite wind; backward, watered the renowned Syracuse, the crews amazed exertions, get the fleet under weigh, such the love of fame, such the thirst for glory, and immortal renown; close sail, opposed hazy atmosphere, contracted horizons, dissected cut the Morea, galloping sail Ceran, and flang the port Alexandria, delightful ken, bulwarks at anchor, superb unfriendly hues, from afar, tumult and din unnumbered veterans.

Aid heavenly muse to recount, heroes, war, who heaven plains, who terrestrial, fearless the field battle, invincible, and braved superior enemies, feats, prizes, masculine unfathomable, inflammable bid ether begone, timbers, immortal, jar the rotund, antipodes amaze, alarmed sensation strange; what serene mien,

captains, men, their fire, their attire, aid heavenly goddess; first, Hood his sublime signal, the enemy's fleet, lounging larboard Aboukir; I nod the wind, a movement observed by the whole squadron, and recalled the Alexander, the Swiftsure; 'twas noon, lily Pharos, beamed the Egyptian coast; 'gan solemn, preparation, the sun hasty recall his heavenly train, majesty imperial and rowled meridian gold; me joy, previous no sleep, no food, elated, necessary repast, grew strength, divine ardour, a significant smile ocean, that distressed with contra eddy his alarmed domain; full certainty decided operations, summon board captains, congratulate a hearty cheer, hope ere earth a spindle return diurnal heavens, severally possessed honours, or an eternal destiny the silent tomb; hear, ye immortal; first the victory, humane, terrific use, I rely their confidence, Britain leaders, remind their departure, each his own vessel, dread points decided war; signals unnecessary, and if room heroes for an enemy to swim, fair opportunity for an Englishman to anchor; intellectual repast, valour, conduct, expatiate best modes attack; how form, fight, pocket the winds, command the seas, the unstable depths; the enemy his ships had moored strong compact line battle, headmost, close a shoal the north west, the rest the fleet a war curve, so as not to be turned by any possible means the south west; barriers, masked batteries, drawn up an obtuse angle, moored spring cables; their home, their den, my plan keep outside the line, one the outer bow, another the quarter, the enemy! cut off his retreat, conquer, or perish the glorious undertaking; we take

in the royals, bend forward a bower cable, I command each leader, cautious the deceitful main, sound dread paths jagged ocean, contend the van, the centre, win fame's immortal goal; nature we muse, her industry, her virginity, Aboukir, the ancient Canopus lounging a towering rock, and father Nile, one of his serpentine rivers, that meandered the beautiful land of Egypt; destined the attack, time urged, led the way; the enemy vastly superior, wanting celestial fire, set sail, fragments bestrew our all rebound billows; perilous, honour, character, staked the awful enterprize, conquer or eternal oblivion, the fleet, that at intervals, harmonious, rang glorious region; suppliant serene the Almighty, thou God battle, giver victory, inspire, king, country, defend her virtues, humane in battle, to a fallen enemy, lift, alleviate, cheer, animate his immortal spirit, blissful confines eternity; momentous advance, agaze surrounding world; the sun drew curtain, ocean in fits, now lash, now swell, now sudden calm, winds run, tremble the corner sails, cavern tombs unfold their dreary mansions, death rushing forth, I harangue; captains! men! yon enemy, their embolden aspect; nor eve, approach gloom, night, nor yon infernal sweep, thou earth, twinkling deities, ocean, ye purpled billows, witness this day; O thou King hosts, befriend, aid approach contest; our character hand astargaze, remotest posterity; I said, brave tars burst applause, sonorous strains to battle, glory; concerned no more, nearer, dearer, affectionate ties, anxious as men contend the awful field; meanwhile the enemy, bristly the alert, most formida-

ble, Brueys that led L'Orient, tow'ring the stars, thousand veterans, dreadful artillery, aided the renowned Blanquet, ocean, proud to float the whole field of war; skirted four frigates, Almighty sweep, defiance, that rent amazed ether; I command the headmost ship bear down, and engage van the enemy; the next the second, the rest happy succession; nor wanting their perilous advance, divine ardour the moment, a temporary pause the fleet, wondrous to see the king of terrors, alight his infernal chariot; every preparation, conversant arms, means preservation from fire, leakages, unforeseen calamity, a bower cable each ship bent forward, impatient heroes, sacred stations, waiting superior orders, captains, me, the nod that shook sterile poles, loud trembling adamant corners earth; and now the enemy, now canopy heaven, roar that majestically reverbrate empyrean, ascending smoke eclipsed retiring day; shot, inflammable shells, batteries isle, half gun-shot, calm, unmoved Englishmen, silence bravo, tars aloft busied furling the sails, or below tending the braces, making ready for anchorage; first giant Goliath within reach the enemy's guns, outstrip the Zealous, awhile panted, disputed the intrepid chace; defiance hell peep, earthquake broadsides, doubling their line, anchors the second bulwark, conceives battle moored the land, his best attack 'tween them the vulnerable shore; the French guns, not likely manned, consequent not ready for action; serene, celestial, trod agape tombs, swum blush seas, biting his anchor shallow depths, drifting La Conquerant second their line,

thundering immortal life, bulwark pride, adamant beauty, pointing heaven; next the Zealous, Hood his station bows La Guerrier, mock jagged jaws gnash teeth ocean, buoyant that marked the eye his brother Foley, opening ports, crackling sounding timbers, and immortal; then bulwark Orion, her Saumarez with a broadside sends howling depths La Serieuse, that impious presumed, molest his kingly advance; ocean his decree, her doom; down everlasting, unfathomable destiny; the third, advance to windward the Zealous, her prosperous sail, hauled round toward the French line, larboard bow La Franklin, quarter La Peuple Soverain, receiving, returning tremendous metal both; the Audacious, her Gould, unfriendly visit La Guerrier, La Conquerant, fixing as a leech her larboard; alarmed the confused enemy his prostrate signal, victory an Aurora glimpse, the British line; Captain Miller, leader the Theseus, the last that anchored between the enemy, the terrible shore; broadsides appal, ocean dons vermilion attire, receives confused, left mizen, jolly uprights; these their station; immortal heroes, bulwarks serene, fearless approach eve, darkness, the grave, alike to them, contemn frowns hell, a significant smile the king of terrors, boast manly an incorruptible treasure, beyond the most distant stars; environed death, apparatus sweep, opponents arrayed plumes gorgeous war, and bound their iron mien, writ centre soul, conquer, or seal their lives, last drop circulating blood; the enemy, secret astonishment, a pause! valour unknown, unsung, ancient renowned records; me next, bulwark Vanguard, aided

the immortal Berry; standard, spotless lily, emblem St. George, awave Egyptian; aware impossibility rear the enemy coming assistance the van, every effort, conquer one part ere I attacked the rest; arrive chosen station, forced the enemy 'tween nether, infernal fires; sail gape tombs, six rainbow tints ascended rigging, exquisite as adorn snow drop heavens, when peeps the watery sun to limb the most distant sky; firm socketted, sickening the idea a random fire precipitate ocean; instant their La Spartiate, veer half cable, burst theme, loud chorus artillery, covering intrepid rear approach comrades; 'twas night, the sun below earth's bulge, vertical foreign lands powdering celestial beauty, or beyond, urging Aurora her purpled car; up the Minotaur, thee Louis, encounter L'Aquilon the fourth the enemy's line; the Bellerophon followed; Darby his anchor stem larboard bow L'Orient; next the Defence, Peyton, admirable judgment, a head the Minotaur, by which the line unbroken; him La Franklin, bulwark eighty artillery, eight hundred veterans, bearing flag the renowned Blanquet, illiberal roar, 'gan tremendous; Westcott next the Majestic; serene thy setting solar, another sun, the sun of righteousness, celestial beamed thy immortal crown, bright realms everlasting bliss; eager advance, entangles his rigging one the enemy; let loose, at your peril ye me detain; enough he said; alongside La Henrieux, cautious astern huge bows L'Orient; bulwark Alexander, Ball, the Swiftsure, her Hallowell, eager anxious, share the field of glory; pushed the face danger, recalled with beating sail, a glorious rear,

armed to the battle, the Leander, her humane Thompson, the last that closed the awful line; not thus the Culloden; vexed Troubridge, the rocks embrace his iron keel, his keel, that bathed in sands despond; nor human skill, nor pious prayer, nor urgent appeal father Ocean, distracted, chagrined, a spectator neighbouring roar, nought his services, as if the hand of fate (zealous, sublime the British character) confirm already assembled, equal the superior enemy; no error her adored commander, cautious, sounding advance, a savage reef his swimming keel smiting his breast, and destined thus? O fortune dire, that me withholds the verdant palm, no succour my beloved countrymen, no honour, glory, no soul winged an eternal flight heaven's everlasting home? nor more than human the Leander, La Mutine, extricate her lonely station, through the memorable conflict, songs divine, reanimated the distant war, Britain, her sons, alone worthy old Ocean's imperial empire; the fleet their awful station; grew the battle, roar increased, nor wanting the enemy, Bruey's adored; who adequate sing, impossible retreat, our lot we hail, rapture, extatic joy, field rich harvest, a dazzle hue to inspire the immortal soul; persevere aright, honour, everlasting renown; yard-arm Egyptian, nor favour the enemy loophole, swell his buckram, or allow father Ocean, liberate, flee impend calamity; lightning, interval darkness, cheer, harmony, captains composed the awful game; heroes a host, from the meanest, me, central me, revolving duties; our banner invincible, humane, sense dignity, honour, respect minute move-

ments, omniscient nethermost, contemn, face wiles, frowns hell; fifteen minutes roar, two their embattled 'gan huge masts athirst to lave brine billows; tatters entangle, shook bulwarks trembling a foundering gulph; a voice amid the carnage, Britannia on her billowed throne, ordained of heaven rule earth's dependent half; victory, harbinger fame, as when Aurora gilds the rising east, sings approach morn, heaven's noblest sire ascends his golden chariot, then majestically uptowers, and crowns refulgent azure everlasting day; stern the enemy, admired demean; tars pious exit, menial death an awful besom Vanguards decks; I command heroes, precision, fire unseen keels, pitch bulwark, tumble old Ocean forest beauty, immortal life bestrew vermilion billows; nor useless echo frant heavens exalt, nor plunge ball, depths; a voice, spare! mercy! won, we sanction, possession amid infernal warfare; exposed dread raking aim L'Aquilon, chagrined, random, discomfitted their near relative; collected surcharged, their lower, upper, obliged her turn writ fame's eternal page; well done, emulant either line, each his country, angelic worthy; L'Orient centre, her cope Bellerophon, Darby that summoned unusual composure to withstand his gigantic opponent; himself wounded, his every officer, two hundred their melancholy descent the silent tomb, thinned his heroic, successive the tumbling his masts overboard, gone rigging, shook bulwark, and to contend triumphant cheer delighted enemies; then father Ocean wafts the gallant hero from the awful scene; nor winds, spread sail, a guardian hand that led

the furrow'd keel; the enemy astonished, Englishmen befriended some unknown power; direct the Swifture, her Hallowell, majestically float the site his retired friend; steady 'gan thunder, quarters L'Franklin, huge bows L'Orient; four French embattled the van, now struck their hues; the enemy enormous exertion, recover lost glory; but in vain, as rivers propelled, desolate as ignited fire, leaders, tars pass on, bugle assist beloved countrymen; nor indulge respire, nor temporary composure, till 'rived golden portals entrance fame; conversant night, gloom elements, darkness, the cavern tomb, serene death barriers, that o'erlooks tremendous the unknown eternity; immortalized our inner, harmonious thundering discomfiture, alike the glorious line, save our spectator Troubridge, aloof detained, witnessed responsive war, death havoc, godward gaits, tars; fell the immortal Westcott, 'countering two vessels superior force; prodigious carnage his game routine, trying posts, now receiving the vivacity, as such, return the terrible broadsides his enemy; and run his mortal race, from a cabin-boy emulant a captain; nor wanting his country deserved honours, commanding the Impregnable under the immortal Howe, exit serene, enrolled his name refulgent gold, bright records everlasting fame; sonorous aroar, alternate cheer, alternate agony, leaders, oratory inspire, 'mid rack, rout, 'mid deaths, 'mid hell's tremendous yell, glimpse, beam, joy, king, country, bleed strains, jealous domestic connubial affectionate ties, how lawful them sacred preserve; some sudden an immediate descent the silent tomb, some

mortal wound a long farewell delightful pinions, some composed surrounding field, regret lost service, cut off limb, lounge bathe vermilion smear, cheer around comrades, England her bulwark pride, her national glory; some death's embrace, resigned the will heaven, sinners redeemed 'rayed spotless righteousness; captains lead, drawn sword, war their heels, stir, stamp, gigantic mien, bar, plug showers shot, curses enraged enemies; hail memorable, Erubus hail! darkness equipped, nor starry heavens, hid tyrannic roar; friends, foes, intermix sabre, glitter musketry, grape, the bayonet, keen steel, either side well done, brave the enemy summoned latent metal to withstand our cope, cool demean; we sift their site, plunge central, sumptuous wield dread shield imperial war: L'Orient smokes, proclaims through each contending line, on fire! halloo! we provoke the war, aloud, our voices, heaven resounded; I command by signal the brave Hallowell divert the alarmed enemy; interim Allen, leader the marines, tempestuous 'gan blew terrible blast; we wish them resign, obstinate, desperate, nor listened our tender proposals; night, chaos illumined, depict melancholy wide scourge the king of terrors; bulwark stumps, decrepid prizes, Britannian gem awave the awful scene; some silenced her everlasting possession, others (with praise be it spoken,) manly energetic battle; proud stalk heroes, gait, divine mien, disfigured, discoloured hue tempestuous billows; Brueys, the honour his flag, prowess becoming, hero worthy pious strains his exalted country; previous three wounds, one the head, through the exposed frame, not him pre-

vailed quit his sacred post, leaning the arm chest, death 'ere summons, arrayed his temples, green bays, everlasting laurel; and now the fire, flaming along upper decks, now ascend sublime masts, fruitless endeavour her extinguish, beauty descript, painted sides, buckets inflammable fluid, fed the devouring element; we forget national rancour, weapons aside; the unfortunate enemy, some overboard on spars, some pieces wreck, others contend 'lumined billows; their lives very jeopardy, cling burnt masses that innumerable floated surrounding sea; crackling heaven resounded, flames roaring touch the stars; I command hush war, Englishmen! snatch immortal from the gaping tomb; veterans, a hasty hurl through portholes the British fleet; humane, extended arm, sailors perspire, swollen breast, give vent inward suppressed feeling; the Swiftsure, drag save the commissary, first lieutenant, ten life; alike the Alexander, perilous the extreme, not to be moved her Hallowell, hover cope hell, to save a fellow creature; dread exposure, its magazine, involve consequences, loiter with skill the burning don; not thus fortunate his colleague; twice on fire, twice prodigious effort, extinguish the infernal fluid; I command the intrepid Berry, proceed in a boat from the Vanguard, the only one that could swim, alike example followed all the vessels the fleet; hearken earnest entreaty, in a trite, seventy despairing wretches, snatched from the jaws devouring death; our arms, our energy, so late their destruction, now anxious concerned, we commiserate, wipe the briny tear, ready prepared, gush at the sight such un-

numbered woe; the frantic enemy, insensible rush open arms death, others fire lower deck guns, paroxysms despair; far round sublime, illumined either hue, rage gleam, glorious, terrible, some possession, others to renew the bloody conflict, arose the moon, pale opening her eastern palaces, very alarmed, startled grandeur, solemnity the scene; tumultuous flame, vast sheets, now embrace the hull, now upper, tow'ring o'er ocean, like Ætna, belch Heckla, whose girt height, fiery torrent, snorts through the storm night; torn decks, ransacked wombs, singed sails, whirlwind affrighted, heroes appal, some pitiful suspend masts, some perilous cordage, headlong others invoke billows, frantic aloud us hide Almighty wrath; Brueys beside the pile, the dying, dead, serene resigned his last slumber; who adequate, L'Orient no more; bomb empyrean, globes fire revolve, nor hung centre, bursting around and round, death azure, his sceptre imprisoned blasts, pinioned infernal, rod shivered wrecks, raged hell storm, shouted as it past; deafening crash, shook lowermost sea, unfathomable earthquakes alarm antipodes; a pause unknown terrestrial, save chaos of old, when Deity on creative morn, roused the eternal stillness; now heaven 'gan fire, yards, huge masts, timbers, beams, emaciate man, limbs, brain yet warm, aloft all hands, sweep worse tempest, hurry burning masses the flaming deep; the fleet imminent danger, particularly the Alexander, the Swiftsure; her tops the Alexander, invaded port fire, previous Ball, the shrouds, the sails, rowled up with stiffening hard as rock cylinders; holy sublimity, death elate whole-

able, cinder burn some horrid remote heavens, some centre gravity unfathomable tombs; others afloat billows, superior worth, alike on a level the meanest seaman; utter annihilation her fragment keel, her specie, silver, gold, I command bugle war, blow, the battle glow, first aloud quarter, thy prostrate beam Le Franklin; each bulwark, four lights the mizen peak, distinguish friends from foes, those swum her national pride Great Britain, those the superb enemy; volumes smoke, divine harmony heard each leader amid the hum death, victory, resound everlasting fame: a slackened fire, a dying theme, old night relieved, silence drew nigh, panting death hung down his weary arm; victory, fame, duet the glorious conflict; leaders pass on the conquering road, to honour, immortality; triumph, cheer, the canopy heaven most sublime; L'Aquilon, her neighbour La Peuple Soverain, taken possession by immortal tars; Le Tonnant, Le Heurieux, forlorn drifted, each dormant, waiting inevitable destiny; the Alexander, the Majestic, upcalls latent blast, resume thunder Guillame Tell, Le Gereux, Timoleon, interim Le Mercury had fallen out of line, anchor considerable distance leeward; down the Theseus, fortunate had received little damage; Miller, emulant British school, a stripling entering the navy, fought immortal eras, Barrington, Redney, Hood, Graves, assisted capture several the West India isles, commanded batteries Toulon, co-operated the reduction St. Fiorenzo, Bastia, renowned Calvi, employed the perilous advance our boats the attack Teneriffe, the first in spite the earnest fears of death, the first that trod the awful

mole; an honour his country, the close this memorable conflict, contending the aloof, the sheer off, drifted awaft billows, anxious 'scape, sail open seas; first L'Artemise, gathers her pendant, Estandlet, that fired coward broadside, Miller forebore; pitied the frailty human weakness; but her sneaking commander, his haggard contemptible crew, precipitates her unseen side, inflammable armed, in a moment, blows her to atoms; a voice descends the shivered wreck, Estandlet! cursed thy memory this life, eternally that beyond the grave; full press Le Guillame Tell, Le Genereux, two frigates, stand for the blustering ocean; swift, astounded, amazed, nor slackened, or an askance, or the compass consulted, or kenned situation retiring stars; possession the field battle, hail glorious; I regret absent frigates, had they hovered, not one the enemy had escaped; Troubridge detained, slumbered his broadsides, nor him indulged gather laurel the memorable night; sad spectator, tars aloud sullen, damned their deplorable lot; Aurora rose, a silenced waste, din battle ceased, bulwarks, reduced dons, captured beauty; us dreadful mauled, gone masts, rigging that as net work webbed surrounding sea; stump bulletted sires, restless conquerors, unable pursue, yea dilatory, lothe quit golden region; te Deums, heaven allelulian, deserts, yon hills Arabian theme; prizes, trophies, some distined Britannian havens, some anchorage pavement, some tomb's oblivion, some perilous, at a loss whether continue exhale, or hide broken heads 'neath blush waves; some an ether visit, L'Orient, that shook the starry firmament;

heroes a host, realms eternal joy; Westcott, Taddy, Seymour, the intrepid Tayler, sister graces accompanied their immortal spirits, beyond this lower orb; Ocean composed, the ponderous sphere relieved, death graceful adieu; I command thanks th' Almighty; O thou eternal, thine the honour, the glory, we bend the suppliant knee, in silence adored the God of heaven; Arabs, Egyptians, three days songs praise, Mamelukes theme, we hover the memorable site, secure our prizes, damages repair; te Deums, fought the battle, victory won; fame express foreign lands, seraphic, Englishmen braved vaults death, grasped iron keels, flung bulwarks bomb, beyond the stars of heaven: we enjoy the fruits our victory, India that rang, Aurora the twelfth day, beamed arrival our three frigates, the fourth that followed, O ye unfortunate, youths that bar gates inglorious flight; three our prizes we commit the flames, mortal wound, nor utmost skill our profession, them save from oblivion; the remaining six prizes, I send forward Gibraltar, under the gallant eye our worthy Saumerez; beckon the hero Hood, the Swiftsure, Goliath, Alexander, and two frigates, chain Egypt coast; with the remainder the fleet, the seventeenth day after the battle, stand for the main, ocean sublime on his lucid shoulders, cripple dons, gentle our wounded, sires that shook mighty prowess inveterate enemies; an easy sail, fluted; not as before, urge winds, buffet tempestuous element, land! thy beacon Naples, the king a royal visit, his train, superb retinue, shouts joy, a people passionate fond their sovereign, sung his regal virtues,

us sang illustrious deliverers; hundreds boats, skiff, streamers, divine harmony, Hamilton that led the way, purple enthroned in his gilded barge; odes epic, and touched with holy fear each sacred chord; heaven listened, writ azure celestial gold, the wide world celebrates thy fame O Nelson; honour, princely rewards, dignitaries empire, a splendid naval fete, and when night friendly to rest the slumbering orb, Aboukir display, roar battle, prostrate gems, victory, fame, equipped as gods, L'Orient, her artillery, huge timbers, her thousand veterans, whistled the eternal stars; a visit the Queen, delighted her heavenly voice, Nelson, saviour Italy; his imperial majesty powerful Grand Seignor, presents pelisse sable, broad sleeves, kingly the robe, lined finest imaginable scarlet, nature that dipped her richest vermilion; a diamond aigrette, blaze brilliants, most honourable, representing a hand thirteen fingers, emblematical battle the Nile, the number the enemy's ships taken and destroyed that memorable night; me conveyed in charge an effendi and his august suite, thirteen in number, performing their part, with all due gravity and holy dignity, arrayed their most noble robes, chelengk and robe, presented on a cushion, after the oriental fashion; these the Grand Seignor, assurances sublime friendship; the Sultan, a purse two thousand sequins to be distributed among the wounded; imperial me, maternal regard; a box stud diamonds, the Czar Paul his portrait, gold inlaid, amber brilliants, congratulatory joy; Sardinia's king his royal bounty, the worthy inhabitants Zante, gold headed sword, a cane, a truncheon, ornament

beset with all the diamonds, the isle could produce; mistress Rome, Britannian deeds, indelible, monuments divine; superb freedom Palermo, created a grandee the kingdom of Spain; Sicilian court, dukedom domain Bronte, the king a diamond hilted blade, which Charles of Spain him presented on his accession the two Sicilies; Britain superior acknowledgments, King George, of immortal memory, augments armorial ensign; honours, princely rewards, created Nelson the Nile, Baron Nelson, and of Burnham; a princely grant the India Company, the Turkish a piece invalued plate; the city of London a sword, the same, each my brave captains, representing crocodile, the names their ships, descriptive that celebrated victory; thanks both houses of parliament, fame athirst, Great Britain, her virtues, and her glory: adieu the peaceful bay, we met the Genereux, three frigates, and a corvette; I instant capture the Genereux, one their sprightly; destined return, now leave the briny deep, land contiguent realm, the Queen of Naples accompanies the city Vienna; Prince Esterhazy, Hungarian magnificence, a hundred stately grenadiers that did me honour, at my nod, my beck, the same Magdeburgh, crowds that sang, through the continental world, time unfolds arrival Yarmouth, the multitude songs to heaven, sung the hero the Nile; the ships in the harbour, topmost blue, musketry, ordnance, peace thundral night, all hail! heaven that inspired, lifted the annals of fame me unworthy; jealous the honours my country, her dignity, her rights Britannia, ordained sway alone the billowed globe, old Ocean's everlasting empire.

BOOK THE TENTH.

O WORLD! thou wondrous orb, that hourly does thy myriads cast off to float th' unknown beyond, who shall recount thee; give me, handle the hollow my hand, note thy revolve, resource, whence beauty, machinery, how chained refulgent beams, how draw thy numbers thence; give me, heights, depths, caverns, empire, nor e'er ken the golden sun, or exhale upper atmospheric, give me embowelled; gem, stratas, sand, bathe liquid ore, amazed divinity, immaculate surfaces, hue, pulp, exist green, heaven waft gales, a home, a residence immortal man; indulged as framed on pavement bliss, Deity whose watchful eye the ponderous machine, recruit, supply, lead harmony nether springs; astonishment the soul, its crave, expand, who adequate, sown seeds divine energy, at will, swell pages fame, illustrious hand blest, remote posterity; what time temporary visit my endeared, that thirst, 'gain quit Old England, emulant her battles, compel the enemy her power acknowledge, hush rude blasts

destructive war, and peace proclaim through all the earth; scarce cessation, lands their lounge, their blessing peace, fame significant, blackening brew, tempest lower, sulky north-east, demon devise, reduce her standard, trample Britain, her naval rights, at will her virtues, her magnanimity, so late her thunder Mediterranean, majesty Atlantic, either Indies, her celestial beam adored refulgent clime, 'mid azure superb heaven, now threatened the frigid meagre, arrogant wipe her glories, her divine titles, from pages revered earth; France foiled, contemptuous fawn, wins northern powers; Russia, her emperor, some natural qualities, wild, crased already accession; Denmark, a foreign squeeze, led by the nose, her councils, strength, ready co-operate the measures of France, recognize usurpation, obey mad injunction; Sweden under a king, a weakness, acting in league two powers whom it feared to offend; an armed confederacy, their banner, England! resign thy naval crest; most impious folly, presume sacred presence the Most High, grasshopper arrogance, arrest Almighty arm, and exclaim what dost thou? Britain her usual demean; inmost omniscient, wily embedded, the storm foreknew, her decision, crush suspicious onset; Russia eighty sail, forty frigates, part Cronstradt, part Petersburgh, Archangel, and part sublime afloat ocean, the Danes their twenty-three embattled, thirty frigates, smaller routine, eighteen the line the Swedes, fourteen frigates, sloops, gallies, single artillery, me aided the veteran Hyde, rush those turbulent, astound the terror our names, our country, and provoked rage.

Arms, to war! hail glorious! enthroned the embattled St. George, swum rendezvous Yarmouth, destined the north, reduce level obedience, bid acknowledge Britannia, her sceptre alone sanctioned venerable ocean; the signal start, smiled the seasons, elements their aid, winter abashed, feared intrude the sacred channel, or lily adon his fleecy attire; Boreas decree, unbolt thou brazen! till dissolved ambition, cursed tyranny! annihilate England, her prowess, revered virtues, her exalted worth, that for ages, admiration, delightsome theme an astonished globe? bulwarks fiery, each lightning keel vengeful career, accompanied Vansittart, ambassador express, negociate the enemy, harmony, love, embrace ancestry yore, our brethren and related friends; garbed our metal, should they resent, hail storm bullets, such as before ne'er rang adamant outlet, or whistled the eternal poles; dominion the seas, a glorious claim, won, wisdom, valour past generations, and shall an abject hour resign triumphant honours revered ancestors? plow, we dash billow region, superior glow, a fiercer mien casual meeting an enemy; quick the Scaw, the Danes, the Swedes, last hardy Russias, our holy, express onward, celestial sailed amid the Danish line, beheld messenger peace; such respected law all nations; interim advance the British fleet, contend foul winds, sleeted fall, spotless snows, fruitful showers, father Winter a respectful distance, nor bound fluid billows, or his decree, nature retire southern; anxious the fleet; Vansittart dignified, reasoned well, beseeched the Danes, brethren, friends, my mission peace, to sheath

the keen edge blade, ope divine springs heavenly love; but lo! haught, arrogant, spurn friendly proposal, awful adieu; meanwhile, push on, we grasp the sound; I shift my flag board the Elephant, that bulwark lighter than the St. George, consequent better adapted expected operations; thou narrow sea receive thy possessor: the Sound, key immemorial, long the Danes their privilege allowed of Britain, the nod, prostrate gallant, the given tribute; art, nature her superior skill, limbs enchant, delightful scenery, Elsineur, battlements, lighthouses, eloquent signals, pointing rocks, unseen shoals, from outermost Categat, to the opening Baltic; Cronenburgh, edge the Peninsula, thee Tycho, that planned magnificent pile, at once a palace, a fortress, spires, towers, battlements, prodigious protect batteries; here confined the hapless Matilda, victim, foul a murderous court intrigue, wrapt her innocent, consolation, amid heart-rending agony, and despairing grief; to the left, Helsinburgh, hid the bleak north, semicurve foot hills, rocky and steep; distant spires Landscrona, Land, Malmoe; to the right ridges barrier, fine sand, pregnant slopes, fragrant woods, villages, villas, denoting the vicinity some great capital; Huen, Stadholm, the lesser Amak, the lovely Huen, six miles begirt, munificent gift the great Frederick to the immortal Tycho; him worthy, here most his discoveries, here solemn ruins his celestial observatory, his mansion honoured by princes, receiving, entertaining comers intelligent earth, science drew, conversed sister graces, the heavenly nine; we clear for action, an alacrity, characteristic British

seamen; redoubled exertion, prevent the Russians, the Swedes, from joining our inveterate; me the van, Sir Hyde the centre, hover our Admiral Greaves, as a corps de reserve; sixteen the line, bombs, single artillery, stationed Cronenburgh, cover the fleet their perilous advance; a few on the larboard, divert the sturdy Swedes; first the Monarch, 'gan apparatus roar, the Danes their return, give vent, as jammed heavens burst sultry barriers; partial our light vessels, some our centre, a few approach rear, now on the castle, now rattle 'yond region, the enemy his aim far short, plunge 'larm inoffensive depths; others random, vex on our left Swedish billows; the jargon roar, shook heavens exalted canopy; we lean old Lapland, 'mid blaze, Danish yell, brave tars exhilirated, laugh showers shot, that fell full cable's length short destined aim; war chorus, stern push on, times effervescent wheel, us in safety, along that awful inlet barrier; heaven's sire western his golden beam, when anchored the whole fleet, 'tween isles Huen and Copenhagen; myself, Sir Hyde, senior captains, commanding officers the artillery, proceed in a lugger, reconnoitre their line, their defence; optic unseen, ken bulwarks, radeaus, pontoons, fire-ships, gunboats, flanked, supported, an extent upwards four miles; infinite difficulty the navigation, the enemy remove the buoys, ambush afloat where ocean deep; our genius, note jagged depths and limbed with toil the main on every hand; Aurora rose, the fleet advance an anchorage within two leagues north west point an enormous shoal; contiguous the royal chan-

nel, between sandy mound, and the inhabited coast; battle array, the Danes their nineteen bulwark, covered huge crown, isles artificial, the larger mounting eighty-eight artillery; we moor, anchrol shallow; meanwhile myself, accompanied the veteran Riou, a last observation, note soundings, inland sea, surface, contiguous yawn, surf, dreaded spout; the signal weigh, the nod for battle, hailed with a shout; an echo that ascended, far beyond terrestrial outlet; a light, a pleasing wind, accurate small craft, finger point most distinctly right advance; Riou conversant, led the perilous track; the whole division coast along outer edge, double its extreme, arrive Draco point, just as day closed, a last diurnal revolve numbers our train; night drew curtain, left man his schemes, his genius, his irritable ambition; we dread the narrow sea, we curse each shallow bed, energy, skill, secure our keels, defy the enemy, face his bolden, our headmost bulwark not more than two miles distant: meanwhile the Danes, emulant their defence; the university a corps twelve hundred youths, left their divine studies, inspired holier theme; citizens line the batteries, our zeal invoke, each captain his own bulwark, perilous sounding through the bewildered night, and now delightful wings empurpled morn, unfolds the heavenly day; the wind its wished for quarter, loiter our rear, sublime, pushed us gently forward; I command the land forces, five hundred seamen in perfect readiness, at a moment's warning, storm the Crown, when their fire, slacken, decline; Riou leader the Blanche, the Alcmene frigates, the Dart, Arrow sloops, the Ze-

phyr, Otto, Spitfire; every other captain, their harangue, decree, heroes resigned, will their heavenly father; provident an unseen hand led blest steerage; 'scaped terrible exposure, surrounding rock, worse shoals, infernal peepers; pass on the British fleet, Murray the Edgar, taught the enemy Englishmen superior every obstacle; him that led the Colossus St. Vincent's Cape, when victory from the stars, descending sung Great Britain, her maritime glory; the first; followed the unfortunate Agamemnon, her keel embedded, I command the Polyphemus her station in line, then the Isis, her perplexed commander, that at times feared intricacy jagged navigation; then the Bellona, Thompson enraged, the shock that him detained from the glorious field; likewise the Russell, we regret their absence, lost service in line most severely felt; me the Elephant, aided the intrepid Foley; Foley of yore, his fame writ known former battles, as fortunate; beckoning the fleet, each bulwark as arrive, let go her anchor; our plan partly disconcerted, unforeseen peril, three useless our twelve, dormant as rocks tempestuous billows; each captain, crews divine, boiled with spleen, very vexed, vengeful cursed the lank deep; one only our gun-boats in action, the rest afar banded, rude winds, noise swells, that prevented weathering east end the shoal; like our bombs, two only buoyant the middle ground, inflammable chess game, 'gan majestically terrific o'er both the fleets; Rion the terrible Crown, promiscuous death, devoted, protected heads; the battle burns, a fury glow, the Danes incessant roar, shook exposed

hulls, the depths disturbed, uplift echo, howl rang eternal region; joy, glad the passions, full plume imperial, we despise the enemy, our aim the fleet, the arsenal, each captain, tar, emulant, win fame's immortal goal; tremendous rattle, volumes smoke, majestically rowled virgins ether, Erubus ken, most awful, grim tyran opening cavern tombs; Englishmen, jealous maritime rights, the stern demean, fought within cables length, the shallow channel held back nearer approach; masts, planks, splinter, agony gore, the enemy an infinite advantage, artillery skyward, vomit agorge bullet, the king of terrors on his despotic throne, quick signature, leaders, tars, consign precipice barriers an awful eternity; Riou first wounded, sudden adieu, a last act, animating heroes, terrible carnage his game routine, their object divert, we dons inflammable, bestrew magazines, dire arsenals, fire, gleam, jargon thunder, the rifle enemy our worth, then wholesale promiscuous ranks, as grass beneath the mowers' scythe; jar bulwarks, split beauty, plunge 'neath keels, pepper, deface, anchors to atoms, death in person summon heroes their inevitable destiny; elate we approve; tutor our genius, anxious exalt Britain, illustrious hand lengthened roll everlasting ages; cope maddened skies, artillery contemn, hurry the lamented affrighted, to holds, blest retreats; we lean the protecting arm heaven, confide judge the universe, most surpassing wisdom; the Isis dread exposed, I command the Desirée, the Polyphemus, her relieve; divert the enemy's gall, tremendous roar; Mosse captain, serene sable embrace his last enemy; a laurel wreath adorned his temples

while upward his immortal; 'mid rout, vermilion eddy, lucid human gore, such enthusiasm in man, fight the battles his king, his country, jealous, nearer, dearer, affectionate ties; escape impossible, unthought; prodigious ply, well done, lifted broadsides, wholesale voracious tumbled greedy tombs; our all invoked to withstand hail-storm bullets, vomited bastion aloft glitter; their prince, summitted conspicuous one their batteries, serene the carnage beheld, collected his every order, courageous sang feats yore, such roar, such war, ne'er before Boreas, or disturbed father steady north; Englishmen, tremble that distant part the globe; our line unbroken, flung cannon, lodged inmost, breach open breach, ruinous affrighted, old Ocean shook; heroes enmasse one common tomb, a melancholy strew, on pebbled beach, dwellings, retreats, citizens, youths, tragic adieu, the muses their departed spirits, accompanied mournful strains immortality; bomb burst, rude intrude virgin, nor female beauty 'scaped the finger beckon death; we wrestle their fleet, apparatus tower, chance in war, may ope nether springs hell; arrest Great Britain, and curtail her boundary? never till from his heights holiness, Deity annuls the long held sceptre; all glorious! the sun heaven's canopy superb, imperial rowled meridian gold, when slackened fire the enemy; some their light sail adrift, some decks bespattered, obedient hues, utter impossibility them gather, amid terrible roar incessant from contiguous heights; one their embattled, sheet crackling flame, before the whirlwind, despair drifted, her crew to save their lives, plunge precipitate through flame from her port holes;

magnificent embers azure empyrean, celestial gleam, now long, bomb bursting, rod etherial heights, and trod the starry unknown; boats every direction save a parishing enemy, 'mid battle howl, 'mid wars resound; two their line, the Nyeburgh, the Aggershus, sent express unfathomable brine worlds; masts, entangled rigging detained blushing billows; ocean a parting hand, sublime descent with cabin stove, dismounted guns, decks bestrewed with limbs, the wounded, the pious dead; some very alarmed cut cables, run innermost, shook dreadful, left all hands abandon artillery, strenuous, the wreck preserve foundering adieu; we hail, shout! sing the enemy our but awoke valour, more than mortal to avenge insult, thrown the character our venerated country; bullet showers, tempestuous hail, huge bastion, dismast afloat walls, madden chagrin, fling their citadel, battlements within, appal the defenceless; soon the action terminated that part the enemy's line opposed the superb Elephant, the Danes driven from their guns, none left to load, none brimstone ready; the ships ahead the Crown most suffer, that pile more aided by nature, than skill, than courage, magnanimous man; as Gibraltar defiance a belch globe, the enemy secure, dastard, fire our defenceless sent secure prizes; instant I hoist sacred hue, despatched their capital, disclose our minds, ere armed worse death, hear ye Danes! unless honourable, pride all nations, we wet the glittering blade, we fiercer kindle our glare, immortal mien, nor spare your chiefs, your mighty, the thousands your devoted land; listening heard, the carnage stayed, artillery ceased,

heaven's canopy relieved, suspension, peace drew nigh, sacred muses, victory, fame, a circuit wheel their heavenly chariots; possession, we ascend our won, careful hand wounded Danes their affectionate homes; had not they resigned, inevitable ruin their port, city, arsenal magazine, bomb bestrew the whole isle remediless surround billows; heaps melancholy slain, spirits, a myriad host immediate presence the Most High; throughout the still the silent nocturnal, boats active employed bringing out the prizes, floating our few unfortunate, detained hungry depths; we bask its blessings, lounge portals fame, forget our immense losses, the Monarch a perfect wreck, not a shroud, her masts hurled oblivion, her immortal commander lopped limbs; every skill refit damages, buoyant preserve Old England thunderbolts from gaping tombs; the pious dead we hand their last home, tragic, sung minor, perils, curses, war; heroes that bled; sing ye virgins, ye immortal; ye support earth's fabric, sing to protect your honour, your liberty, the pride your venerable ancestry from impious grasp and foreign threat; the Holstein, (one the captured,) we refit to receive our wounded, every comfort, bathe the past, trophies, glory, bliss; forget their pains, the flowing wounds that ceased to bleed; the whole the enemy's fleet, either sunk, burnt, or taken, bombs hid basined creeks, anchorage unknown, nor durst make known their retreat, their protect canopy; alone the Holstein indulged a British port; lovely adieu beauty Zealand, majestically sank to rise no more; meanwhile accompanied Hardy, the veteran Freemantle, Island, demand an interview their

court, their king; England her maritime rights, the bond, the signature, me imperial, represented the glory her mighty empire; we console, condole, wipe the big tear, quell agitation, they erect a monument to commemorate the illustrious departed, central their holy temple, solemnity that uplift national hues, maids, affectionate virgins, poets inspired, and touched with fear each sacred chord, sung their virtues in orations and patriotic hymns; interim the fleet, every necessary conducive health, the comforts our immortal; and now we weigh, set sail, express Carlscrona, the Swedes, the Swedish fleet, alarm, hurry, retreat, they shelter, conceal amid protect canopy; battlement isles, semicurve enclosed entrance their venerable port; routine, decided operations, humane we negociate; they listen, approve, all hail, open as friends, and swum their peaceful fleet, dormant sublime blest havens; elate, elate, away, away, the sun from behind a fleecy towering cloud, azure his darting beam, a Russian fly boat mournful intelligence death their emperor Paul, Deity that him beckoned an awful dread tribunal; Alexander supeme, full assurance fraternal her friendship Great Britain; ceased hostility, no more artillery roar, yell hell, nor death's tremendous blast, triumphant theme, the muses listen and approve, dilatory suns lounge western cars, Aurora her earlier intrude, and led serene seraphic day; fragrant seasons, nature her exquisite demean, father winter respectful distance, and listened long the heavenly lay; thou Baltic adieu: homeward triumphant, and now the Danish pass, and now the peaceful Sound, the Danes their obeisance, horizons hung azure, gay very heaven, the depths forebore,

magnificent victorian bulwarks sublime open ocean; peace, her blessings emanate the throne Almighty goodness, alight the rotund, to lead the sons of men, paths wisdom and holiness; all glorious! echo the skies, arrived my country, indulged her virgin retreats, her rural luxuries: peace, the nations hushed; Britain her victories enrolled bright annals everlasting fame; I muse the refreshing past, England her standard, acclaim uplift the eternal stars; peace, her mantle love, to sooth an irritable globe, short lived, wanton aside, ambitious him that sat the Bourbon throne, arrogant, restless, pest the habitable globe; insolent, unbearable, Albion to arms, nor sheath the purple steel, nor recall her leaders, her wooden walls, nor relieve ocean, quell heaven's disturbed canopy, till dismounted the saddle, his capital profaned, a captive chained the boundless deep, sad spectacle agaze globes, posterity unborn; bustle era, king, lords, and commons, sailors, veterans, the meanest peasant beckoned to repel impious invasion; meanwhile destined the Mediterranean, up the winds, a most affectionate farewell my country; through day, twilight, silent hours nocturnal, becoming dash, utter defiance declaration war, on our left the basin Biscay, now pass the immortalized St. Vincent, sidely Gibraltar, sublime current sweep, ken Afric's refulgent clime, safe arrival comrades, friends, most tedious cruise, exhaust patience, valour that sickened, nor blythe manœuvre, nor cannon roar, nor lockjaw combat, nor our souls warbling heroic numbers; watch, alternate reconnoitre, peruse unseen, Toulon harbour, terribly vigilant, the enemy, did not our optic,

view trembling leathers, every effort afar our broadsides and decided cope? rent the air, region that startled, ye wanting set sail, publish your worth, or contemptible character; every wile, insult their pride, if but succeed entice open ocean; O coward wretched man, slight the field of honour? fame as a meteor athwart meridian glory, graceful oratory, we listen; war declaration the kingdom of Spain, our souls an echo shout, the globe defy, England as enthroned Deity amid rebellious worlds; and now temporary adieu, wander eastward, westward, search the whole line Italian, French, Spanish, detain every sail; Sardinian chase the lovely Madelana, anchored its semicurve, bulwarks necessary supplies; 'twas noon, the Active signal the enemy set sail, eleven the line, and two frigates, under auspices their leader Villeneuve; elate the fleet unmoors; run 'twixt Biche, so narrow a passage, that each vessel left singly stern lights its veteran leader; infer from position the enemy when last seen, their stern bound round south end Sardinia; sped we urge, contend difficulty, adverse winds, currents, obstinate gales, I harangue, brave lads be firm, laugh ocean spout, manly the dread hour battle; busy prepare nod, make way arrival valour, make way the king of terrors; I despatch express our worthy ambassador Constantinople, the same the commandant Coron, probable intent the enemy Egypt, or the Morea; heightened endeavour, inspired zeal, bulge wings, optic every horizon, sweep region far; precede youths, jovial either wing; night bluster harmony, we contend foul winds, black towering clouds, forked hell, heavens aburst canopy; Sicilian

seas, dread basined bays, and crooked creeks, billows untred before; only information, one their number had arrived Ajaciaco, dismasted the late terrible tempest, us unison, furious, wafted sublime heavens; away Sipari, sidelong edged the perilous Messina, satisfy ourselves safety Sardinia, Naples, the volcanic Sicily, downward flang Malta, borne majestic old Ocean shoulders; lily Pharos ken, visit seas that so late her thundering theme Britannia rule; no enemy, intelligence none; havens at rest, peace laved the seven lipped Nile, nor alarm, nor rumour Egyptian plains; we await the will of heaven, back swift, cope inebriate gales, high winds, waves anxious the skies, perilous the fleet dread each other's embrace, strenuous every nerve contend sea, sky, approach kindred, enter Pulla bay, losses refit, damages repair, thy gulph Cagliari, thy sounding rock, that howled, hideous tremendous rebellowed; anchors their repast; Englishmen superior ocean gusts, serene, night, day, leeward maiden driven, affrighted currents upstart drove us away the dreaded gulph Parma; discipline alive, without a bulk head, anxious the enemy, feast ambrosia, our names, country, enroll bright annals everlasting fame; nod Barcelona, anxious the nearest cut Toulon, met the divine Phœbe, lovely her song the enemy's rout, first doubtful wander his den, then sudden alarmed returns to port, set sail, a mighty buzz, increase five frigates, and two brigs, having on board ten thousand veterans, under the gallant eye their leader Lauristine; o'erjoyed we expand; proceede youths, loiter skill, heroes top gallanted circumferent sweep, more than mortal vision

beyond protuberant bulge mother earth; serene the opening, the setting day, planets gild, heaven's empyrean celestial gold; we cover the channel 'twoen Barbary Sardinian lounge, the enemy last seen trudging Afric toward; none either port, or had passed lucid plains, fame's Egyptian land; the tempest brew, old ocean aroused, Deity that permited vex our embattled, strain bolts, peep chink either pitch plank; enormous fatigue, incessant toil, endless eddy, alternate bluster, rest alternate, cruizers empurpled, pass, repass, our hue and cry, seen ye the French, or heard their steer, their destiny? Disappoint, bore up Palermo, trod balm billows, swum barriers bliss; confirmed their object west the Mediterranean, I despatch messengers make known Gibraltar, Cadiz beyond, our worthy Cornwallis stationed the isle Ushant; delightful start; five days diurnal revolve ere intelligence, a neutral that proclaimed the enemy their steer Cape de Gatte, majestically sublime flow Gut, and lost amid the billow ploughing west; O had they mutual, what divine game; we encounter the winds, waves, billows an opposite meander, compelled stem rude obstinate streams; flung massy anchors the marble Mazari, weigh, set sail, buffet swell gales, anxious their lull, their slumber, ariel sceptred thrones; most strenuous, sidelong eccentric, more than mortal effort, the flee sublime, sails open Atlantic, defiance winds, waves, tempestuous roar; first Cadiz; hail leader Orde, that prudent retired approach superior enemies; the French, a junction the Spaniards proudly launched again the open deep, this previous our arrival; we lament dilatory

obstacles, thwarted, vexed, yet resolve them overtake, pursue either corner the habitable globe; twenty embattled and seven youths their muster, our utmost but ten of the line, and three frigates; fame their object the Caribbean, we turn our backs European, invoke father Ocean, thine arm thou eternal; the moon, we court her heavenly smiles, thou exalted virgin, us majestic dash central our enemies; detain each fragrant gale, suns seraphic, serene their peep their exit, and the queen of heavenher silvery bespang the liquid pole; nor howl, rude tempest, lightning, thunders, nor perilous unfathomable, or empyrean suspend, other sublimity, refulgence seraphest gold, canopy night bestudded eternal myriads, celestial Aurora ushering fountain day, meridian blaze, attendant western cars, grateful father Ocean, rural a long an everlasting way, 'mid eve serene, floods [glory, planets, gems, celestial heaven; we hail the embattled Queen, arrive juicy Madeiras nor detained those Edens; spoke two vessels, the enemy seen previous the neighbourhood Barbadoes, did not open mouthed sails, catch the pleasing intelligence, miraculous flap, bulge, swell their manly pride, astonished proceed, our errand war, our aim sing victory? I despatch the Amazon, Barbadoes, announce our arrival; we her heels, urged dons, pushed bulwark, each captain, crews, chaunt Britain her sons, no, never shall be slaves, entitled alone the billowed globe, old Ocean's amazed empire; land! heaven re-echoed; Time's unerring wheel, hungry anchors thy gnash teeth Bridgetown; haste, necessary supplies, feast rural refulgent clime, enraptured theme, regal salutes

due honour the glorious day; the Northumberland, the Spartiate us join, under auspices the immortal Cochrane; manly seamen store each bulwark, superior mind the region, windings, shoals, turns, currents, rocks unseen, how form, fight, superior the king of terrors, boast an immateriality beyond tyrannic despotism; under weigh, elate the fleet unmoors; the enemy our vicinity, heroes top-gallanted, their vision dart beyond the bulge rotund; veteran below, anxious the halloo signal, rouse energetic, plow field celestial plains, jealous its glory and eternal renown; verdant horizons, scenery enchant, Tobago, canes, seraphic bowers, nature allowed wanton, her virgin, her exquisite simplicity; swift winds majestically reined, we meet a fleet merchantmen, ocean that complained on his burdened shoulders, her wealth, her astonished industry Great Britain; most delightful, Trinidad, Paria dissect, should fortune us favour, resound the lucid Oronoco, as Aboukir, the mellifluous Nile; disappointed, curse its station; plow the mighty deep, spread either extreme, the enemy their flight athwart Antigua, all hail, shout! shout! rang martial battlements sublime heaven; tuneful, becoming mein, pass the glorious field, Rodney that enrolled azure gold Britannian feats; did not the billows purple lave, winds Arabic, acclaim allelulian, lungs that tore, rent ascending skies? O had the enemy, but gone their nerve, invoked skill us elude, peep, skulk, ambush abashed; we ran isles Grenada, Guadaloupe, windward stood tacked the compact Nevis; cruizers every direction, hourly intelligence, able far our enemies to escape; anchors precipitate depths St.

John, to receive necessary supplies; again propelled delightful region, fame panting met, the enemy their dastard flight, their final departure, fled the terror our bulwarks, name, hoped an easy conquest the Caribbean, hither, thither, nor emulant as men, wake sing celestial blast; the Indies hymn our arrival, sang the Indies our departure; we arrive Bermuda, then conic Poco, then fragrant St. Michael's, ken its beautiful corn fields, nature her sweets, her virgin song, we listen! sister graces, muses immortal chorr divine harmony; enormous proceed, sails full tight, strain every knot, elements favour, proud wafted 'mid awful peal, deformed lightning, ocean a heave, raising his crest the stars; we maritime unison, signal night, vex the needle, lunar intrude, bask heavens nocturnal; nor scaped vexatious calm, blissful detained, winds heavenly alounge, extatic zephyrs, azure circumferent, suns dilatory to close retiring day, a visit Venus, her head adorned refulgent gold, sweet harbinger, or a graceful accompany the glorious sire of day beneath the blessed horizon; land St. Vincent, limited the magnet, the eternal pole; fatal the enemy's arrival in port, vexed, chagrined, we arrive Gibraltar to refit; weigh, set sail, nor grant respite arrogant foes, so late twice driven the Mediterranean, twice the Atlantic, from the well-known Aboukir, yen curve Mexico; the foe secure amid his thunder, we chain every inlet; meanwhile temporary alien, I arrive the venerable shores my beloved country.

Thee Merton, thy sweets, thy retreats, repose, recruit, lay in store future honour immortality; afar clatter war,

nor expand th' immortal soul, nor converse arms, artillery theme, nor cabal warriors, other school, fragrant gratitude, ascent, listening ear an indulgent God; nature her labyrinth, her divinity, quaff nether springs intellectual joy: historic, kings their race, regal sway, their game, life human stage, illustrious deeds enrol bright annals everlasting fame; amid pursuit ambitious man, what harmony the works of deity; spoke the morn creation, at the present hour, immaculate bloom; thou supreme, father dominion, the sun linked myriads unnumbered, planet belt, earth midway, nor torrid embedded, or afar distant his kingly courts; attendant queen, chaste, her most exquisite apparel; man half way, nor possible the one hand lift his soul, orb'd systems peruse, approach awful presence the Most High, or contra, revolution, attraction, repulse, air, vegetable, embowell'd, ocean's unsung domain; man lose thyself, divine built to repose the immortal: and now the blast of fame, chief trump seraphic, the enemy their escape from port, downward Ferrol, increased thirty-four embattled, Cadiz arrive, watch'd renown'd heroes, Calder, the veteran Collingwood; me imperial, plunge left old England, a final an everlasting adieu, washed purple billows, the seas eternal maze; anxious the enemy, field proud battle, win fame's celestial goal; heaven's purer eye, direct, heaven harmonic, arrived their captain; echo alarm unknown firmament, arms to war! reconnoitre, prowl innermost, majesty bulwarks, tiptoe on the wing set sail, we every wile, mightily busy, fame her office acquaint the enemy our sudden departure, and

left their haven, coast, and leaned the spotless Mary, hid, nor rainbow hue, minute roar, tars tedious hours, energy, prowess, cased their souls, adamant, brass; superior mind, how cope, fight, face the last enemy, contemn visages, principalities hell; nor long this prison; Aurora her livelier tinge, serene led majesty day, other divinity, extacy, joy, god Mars signal the enemy's advance open sea; we catch the gleam, lean ambush contiguous shore, billows fisted to cut off possible return; chase southeast, hourly intelligence their steer, apparent move, unseen as yet sky gallants, all glorious! the enemy in sight; their muster thirty-three embatled, and seven youths, our utmost but twenty-seven the line, and four frigates; twilight enormous shadow, extended top sails and gigantic bulwarks.

BOOK THE ELEVENTH.

THE sun was down, still the serene eve, expressive, everlasting gone the fleeting day; planets, heaven's pavement field, nature a friendly shade, and hushed to rest the slumb'ring world; ocean bespatter, flang diamond, hull, the yards, the sails, stars their western jaunt, nor stooped our meaner affairs; we anxious her limb Aurora, Britannian deeds meridian enroll bright annals everlasting fame; an awful solemnity; billows precede, vex chariot wheels run away enemies; when lo! in a twinkling, (no more etherial night, nor fleets dimness seen,) me sudden transported the centre my beloved country, Corinthian stood beyond terrestrial sky, clad as now, laurel gild, regal garment stiff shining gold; how honoured, superior Pompey, Assyrian or Babylonian monument, I saw the tough Portland, workmen beneath their chissel toil; pebbled barriers, golden strands, basined havens, the repose wooden walls, bulwarks our land; Weymouth indulged elysian, lounge her monarch Britain,

ocean attendance, majestic king George on his lucid shoulders, a solemn awe the mighty deep, hover the muses, tune celestial theme, and swell gigantic praise; I saw the Start, Torbay, magazines, replenished arsenals, tiptoe fleets on the wing thunder distant lands; I saw the briny Lizard, Scilly group, Penzance, contiguous barriers that defy tempest, billows threatening pull down the stars; an elbow turn St. George, St. Patrick's realm, a manly race superior tried discipline unnumbered veterans; due north, who declare, havens, shore, immemorial ages defiance sublime battlements th' aspiring deep; mountainous Wales, Anglesea, lesser Man, father Medway, Greenocks beacons, Glasgow's gilded spires; I saw from whence father Winter, reverent with outstretched arm, proclaims adieu the ever bounteous year; eastern descent, creek, inland sea, barriers rock, birds that in safety, rear innocent offspring, despite cruel ingenuity unthinking man; Inverness, Aberdeen, basined Leith, Scotland's revered boast, Berwick, Newcastle's jet, majesty Humber, brine Wash, father Thames's apparel, the holy Downs, Dover's cliff, strands enchant, lucid plains, thee Portsmouth, St. Helen's, England's garden, soft breezes blow, divine scenery to inspire the immortal soul; London I saw, wealth prodigious, suburbs lavish to unfold heavenly diversity; Oxford, Cambridge, fount the eternal nine; her sons most noble capacity, anxious welfare mankind, sing the recovery fallen nature, pointing celestial road primeval happiness; manufactories, repository the globe; kings, emperors empurpled ivory thrones, revere her worth,

her exalted character, agaze virtues, her divine all; veteran leaders, military routine, bulwarks, adamant tars, superior wiles, frowns assembled hell; some commerce jammed, on the wing gladden distant earth; Meliboean, ocean amour her golden boundary; amazed diversity, hill, vale, meander, enamel burst, abrupt harmony, nature her pious gambols, me elevate indulged, near, distant, as sent the will, downward on what I stood, one side the base father Winter, the eternal pole, another the refulgent Ind, a third Carribbean, last that memorable era, when wrestled the San Josef, the Salvador, from superior enemies; spiral as copied pages fame, Aboukir, Copenhagen, victories that shook the rotund; muses a circuit wheel, adorned my temples, green bays everlasting laurel; tuneful quires, decline echo's, chorus, te Deums, either horizon, limbed as an immortal hand, slowly, sublime heavens azure expand; depicted ken, her colonies, possessions, Guernsey, Gibraltar, heroes aloft summitted, keep the keys that well known barrier; Mediterranean, Afric settlements, mouths renowned rivers, did not purple billows lave, bathe liquid sands? descending sweep the Cape, huge tow'ring Table that o'erlooks the boundless deep; Bombay, Ceylon, Calcutta, muscular Ganges, kingdom, empire, nature her overflow basket, isles, fragrance sing, fling botany Holland, promontories, creeks, inland basins, lakes foliage begirt, meander seas, shores divine dipped, pacific, my ears a long listen! savage lips, that praised the name the Most High, in immortal strains; Jamaica, landscape, sea, the billow roll, exalt stations, emulant

England luxuriant dainties, Mexicon, American, hid further corners earth; nor alone purposes trade, my countrymen anxious civilize the Indian, spirits immortal, point ascent, realms everlasting happiness; indulged, her empire, wealth, gigantic power, zenith sublime, penned an almighty hand, afloat, and sailed majestic the liquid firmament: sudden as a shifting scene, nor ken my endeared country, exchanged depth midnight, darkness profound beneath, upward as pebbled strands, the drops of morning dew, as desert sands, innumerable untold; myriads that revolve the powdered pole, western heaven's eternal starry frame, did not domes, zones, constellations, Ursa Major, Orion, the fraternal Pleiades, isolated sires, kingly of old, serene, revolve run heavens galaxy plains? changing scene, the solar system, me ether detached, Mercury, Venus, Earth beheld, outer evolution, mirrors that reflect celestial beauty, I saw the sun, minute star, 'mong heavens unnumbered; the shifted scene, Aurora opening her eastern palaces, make way most glorious the king of day; superb battlements, ascending azure thrones, attendant father Time, checked curb rein chariot rapidity, then at command, western sublime, eve, twilight, sister deities that awaited to enrobe vestments gold; up from the east, ineffable beauty, and tinged a holier hue the blue expanse; stars, abashed orbs, confessed the queen of heaven; exquisite, led the soul, an awful reverence 'fore heavens eternal; spring, as begun machinery, make way refulgence, thee Autumn, thy quire, gratitude, song, harvest reap, ere hoary Winter, his sage arrival

to close revolving years; chaste adieu, beget enraged elements, skies mad, wrath, tempest, hurricane, rattling hail around my head, Erubus, thunder rowl, deity his knit brow, his eye that lightning flashed, did not the scene impress most awful grandeur heaven's imperial? pleasing adieu, in a moment as bliss; extatic brightness my immortal country ocean a playful gambol, affectionate laved her every golden boundary; I heard a voice, thou hero destined immortality; father Time indulges, England her advance eternal glory; heavenly visitant, I will declare, first before me universal sea, save land scarce seen, a lonely slumber on the billowed east, two squadron fleets, Britannian one, t'other combined hues, semicurve advance, hope entrap, insolence, ease; the signal, roar artillery shook canopy exalt hemisphere; battle, din, death, his toy and clatter, wrestled bulwarks, some unfathomable, others empyrean, some prizes, some rocks, furious winds, the billow surge, merciless, atoms bestrew contiguous sea; and stilled the rage of war, from afar the English hero, victorian sings an around triumphant field; in a twinkling, I beheld one buoyant on open sea, the sun, graceful superb, beckoned kingly, retiring day; from the west, magnificent a vessel, some heavenly messenger to conduct this stranger, havens eternal joy; his radiant crown, his fragrant move, a voice, hail hero, ordained, realms immortality; each seated, delightful start, ocean attendance, winds sceptres benign, the moon burst revolve, aside her veil, virgin extatic angel beauty; Aurora 'rose, they land an Eden, princely domain, te Deums their arrival, I saw them

enter most glorious edifice, an exact display as around me; refulgent nocturnal, velvet repose 'mid canopy gold, song, descant, some hero that rehearsed his mortal career, with astonished eloquence, lifted his country the stars; scarce the rising morn, back laborious massy purple bars, from its eternal vestibule either ascends bright realms everlasting happiness; did not a voice proclaim the amazed serenity that memorable morn, unknown, unseen since paradise of old, or antedeluvian before the destroying flood? Sudden adieu, I saw a room limned science, the sister arts, expressive feature, ceiling, fretted walls, most sacred entrance, veterans mourning some hero in state, ingress thousands through northern gates, their dejected egress by the rising east; wainscot sombre, 'blazoned escutcheons, a partition the centre, black lamps, seraphic attendants either side, gowns, swords, bags, the hero's chaplain that attended last remains his deceased lord; two rows massy silver tressels, three large lights Britain's effervescent shadow, spiral majestic, tragic conspicuous, grandeur added solemnity the scene; grieved attendants, heart-breaking countenances, depicted sorrow, tears the verge give vent inward suppressed feeling; a coronet enrolled gold, state ornaments, cushioned superb, illustrious emblems, affixed arms, surmount crescent, one side the lion of England graceful supporting everlasting laurel his ivory paw, t'other an adamant tar, held flag one hand, t'other Trafalgar gild, revolving night, and now Aurora limbs the enamoured east; bustle the memorable dawn, through the solemn morn, each his

station, and when refulgence seated enthroned meridian gold, then minute roar, signal 'gan onward procession; through lines, military file, fifes, drums, precede plaintive melancholy air Saul; five hundred heroes, six mourners line procession, eight trumpeters inspiring blast, then the standard borne naval captain, heroes either side, their gravity becoming the solemn spectacle; the standard writ four compartments; union jack, chelengk plume, a naval crown, last the stern view some bulwark won the dread hour battle; two trumpeters, two pursuivant arms, most noble as became their honourable station; the guidon, borne naval captain, trumpeters, then banner the Bath, emblazoned, borne as the previous guidon; the great banner, alike some venerable leader, four pursuivant arms, two chaplains, six lieutenants, four mourners, emblem banners, armorial bearings, an august veteran, most nobly supported; the coffin, covered rich velvet pall on a superb bier, carried twelve athletic, chief mourner an admiral, his train august personages, heroes, veterans, vice-admirals, emblem banner, borne naval captain, either side two lieutenants, exhibiting Britannia seated beneath cypress, weeping o'er the armorial shield her deceased hero; a lion her sacred feet, won standards the enemy, degenerate, lowered the back ground; four captains, six lieutenants, closed this most imposing spectacle; now move the whole, now slowly pass, the sea in a calm, the waves forget to roar, arrived the conspicuous causeway, drums, trumpets, halt, then at a blast celestial theme; the coffin placed on board state barge, train appointed

barges, sounding bells, funeral peal, wafted thee father Thames, ne'er before so solemn a procession; harbour masters, water-bailiffs, rulers company watermen, chaplains, staff, river fencibles, muffled drums, officers, lesser routine, state barges, flanked either hand unnumbered row, heralds, standards, twelve others gild, a standard the first barge, two trumpets, their banners the steerage, the guidon borne venerable captain, either supported two lieutenants, appropriate uniform, crape 'round their hats, their arms; two pursuivant arms, their tabards flung negligently over their rich cloaks; officers bearing the surcoat, the target, sword, helmet, honorary crest, gauntlet, spurs the deceased; the banner as knight the Bath, the great banner, either supported two lieutenants, tragic, naval, full uniform; the third sacred deposit the body, covered richest Genoa, cherubined tow'ring feathers, central viscount's coronet, three bannerolls his illustrious lineage, six clarion trumpets the steerage, six leaders, one each bannerroll, Clarencieux king, sat at the head, reposed his velvet lap, a coronet; the standard the united kingdom at the head, some naval hero conspicuous his honorary station; the funeral barge rowed veteran, tars their silent dashing oars, as clock work, harmonized surrounding billows; the fourth barge, chief mourner an admiral, his exalted train assistant mourners, vice-admirals, rear-admirals, the banner emblems lucid fragrant passing breezes; then royalty, the king's barge the barge the lords the Admiralty, the lord mayor of London in the city state barge, mercantile barges, half staff, each mourning

mast, flanked gun, minor row, the river assembled multitudes, thousands thronged banks aloud their grief, sensations, mingled sorrow, highest respect; minute roar, strands unnumbered gaze, uncovered, each eye lid, exquisite balm for the loss so great a hero; no surge, nor a breath, a holy sped the deep serene, lamentation, grief, alternate praises the immortal career this renowned chief, caught death's embrace 'mid hour, victory, glory, as by divine penmanship, the whole expressive azure; and now halt the procession, drawn up two lines, save the barge having on board the mortal remains, majestically slow between, the bristly oars advanced, trumpets blew, artillery at intervals, rebound listening heavens; embarked, due order most solemn, drums, trumpets, standards borne naval heroes, Clarencieux the coronet, veteran tars, admiral chiefs, horse, military, line the solemn cavalcade; the coffin conveyed the Admiralty, placed the grand hall, light as from heaven through silent nocturnal; and now burst portals dawn, wings opening day; assembled thousands, witness the procession as pass to Britain's national temple; first the king's son, then princes blood royal, detachments dragoons, Scotch military, the Buffs, their band Britannia Rule; muffled drums, a highland regiment, echelons, Egyptian hues, the band descriptive harmony; detachment veterans, leaders black scarfs, then another band, muffled drums a solemn dirge, regiment military, a highland regiment, state dragoons, officers wearing black cloaks, sounding trumpets that at intervals blew sang the hero's fame; dragoons, national Greys,

trumpets, guns, artillery, men with tumbrils, marshalled on foot to clear the holy way; a messenger the college arms, conspicuous badge his elevated shoulder, his staff tipped virgin silver, aloft furled jasper sarcenet; six conductors black staves, headed superb coronets, veteran pensioners two and two, wearing badges, crests the deceased, black staves their hands, tars jack attire, black handkerchiefs, suitable around their adamant foreheads; watermen, their badges, drums and fifes, chief major, trumpets, serjeant trumpeter, Rouge Croix Pursuivant alone in mourning coach, his tabard negligently thrown o'er superb apparel; then the standard, borne front a mourning coach, supported either side two lieutenants the royal navy; trumpets inspire, blue mantle solitary mourning coach habited as Rouge Croix; then the guidon, borne front a noble veteran, servants, officers the king's household, gentlemen, esquires, deputation from companies the great commercial city of London, physicians the deceased, divines clerical attired, chaplains, the noble secretary, sounding trumpets; Rouge Dragon Pursuivant habited as blue mantle, the banner the deceased as knight the bath, majestic borne front a mourning coach, in which a royal captain, supported either hand some veteran hero; officers, knights, batchelors, masters in chancery, serjeants at law, the solicitor, the attorney-general, prime serjeant, judge the Admiralty, knight marshal, knights the bath, superior baronets, a gentleman usher in mourning coach carrying superb carpet, a black velvet cushion, destined lounge immortal trophies; the

comptroller, the treasurer, steward his household, each white staves with uplift hands, then younger sons barons, younger sons viscounts, judges, chief baron the Exchequer, lord chief justice the Common Pleas, master the rolls, lord chief justice the King's Bench, younger privy counsellors, eldest sons barons, younger sons earls, eldest sons viscounts, barons, bishops, younger sons marquisses, earls, then marquisses, nobler dukes, earl marshall, lord privy seal, lord president, the two archbishops, lord high chancellor of all England, dukes the blood royal, last George prince of Wales, sacred detachments, horse, holy guards, a herald precede the great banner, gauntlet, spurs, the helm, the crest, target, sword, surcoat the deceased, the coronet borne thee Clarencieux king, attended two gentlemen ushers; six heroes the royal navy, bannerrolls in two mourning coaches, six admirals the like attire, they the superb canopy, four admirals the empire supported the magnificent pall; then the body on a funeral car under superb canopy, the car bulwark Britannian, drawn led six beautiful horses, richly caparisoned, decorate escutcheons, bannerrols, divine emblems; three times the height mortal man, most imposing spectacle, first, platform supported springs, a four wheel carriage, decorate drapery, black fringe, pendant three large festoons, emblazoned central, I saw Trafalgar gild, exterior dorned silver branches saltire; raised on the former, another platform, covered superior velvet, ornamented six escutcheons, painted on satin, enveloped everlasting laurel; between the escutcheons, four scrolls, branch

gild, San Josef, L'Orient, Trinidad, Buccentaure; a third platform the coffin, constructed mahogany, covered the richest Genoa, engraven crests, orders his immortalized fame; ornaments, devices, head piece representing a monument supporting eagles, emblem victory, portrait the deceased, basso relieve; surmounted an urn, o'er which reclined expressive grief, the British lion at the base, one his awful paws on the gallic cock; decorate sphinxes trophies commemoration battle Aboukir, confirming her rights Britannia, universal sovereignty father Ocean; conspicuous gold a coronet, a chest, mottos handing his immortality posterity beyond; a weeping figure antique, representing the hero holding the union flag, virgin Britannia the centre, unison her lord Neptune drawn sea horses, led thee eternal fame, Neptune amour pointing conspicuous shield renowned deeds this mighty captain; St. Ferdinand's order, a crocodile emblem victory, a playful dolphin, skiff, dive, now busy tail foam passing purple billows; order St. Joachim, inscription gold the emperor Paul, love, eternal love; order the grand crescent, a sphinx, trophies transcendant series, immortal exploits; Nile gilded front, divine mottos allusive brilliant heroic achievements; descriptive oratory, amid superb canopy six plumes surmount towering festoons, black velvet fringe, supported four palm trees, carved wood, silvered, shaded, dipped nature's superior green; from the foot the tree, laurel wreath, becoming cypress, the front imitation the head some bulwark the line, and moved a holy sped, majesty sublime, the coffin, the obsequies, drawn six beautiful horses;

their expressive rich flowing manes, aware the importance each solemn duty; followed field marshal, his superb staff, garter king accompanied two gentlemen ushers; supported select admirals the empire, train bearers, captains the royal navy, deep mourning, state uniform, decorate crape round their hats, their arms; Norroy king, banner emblems, borne three veterans, depicted banners, officers the army and navy, prodigious line unnumbered carriages; multitudes thronged streets, jammed from the Admiralty to St. Paul's, infantry array, mounted cavalry, centre laid gravel, golden sand; I saw the loyal, the Royal Westminster, the Queen's, the Prince of Wales, the Margaret's, St. John's, the Bloomsbury regiments, the King's association, the loyal North Briton's, the noted Westminster, Middlesex corps, the city regiments, affectionate heroes, mourning warriors; thousands roofs houses, flats theatres, perilous spires, snatch anxious farewell peep; brazen artillery, mum flanked in peace, the colours each standard thrapped black crape, muffled drums, tuneful bands, knights several orders their swords, captains state sashes, officers' superb uniform; reverent the sun, spectator his golden throne, each wind amaze, nor a whisper, stillness attent, the car and moved majestically slow, the exposed coffin full view on a platform, covered black cloth, festooned rich velvet, decorate escutcheon, celestial writ Trinadad, Buccentaure, lo! Victory conspicuous empurpled on the lantern over the poop; an English jack pendant lean the stern, embraced half staff, awning an elegant canopy, supported four pillars, form palm trees environed

down rich velvet moss; the corners, sides, ostrich feathers, festoon emblazoned velvet, Trafalgar writ, Trafalgar gild, having vanquished his enemy, he rose to immortal glory; the populace mingled sensations sorrow, highest respect, the full swoln lid, affectionate brew, feelings divine, assembled Britain aloud her grief, and now the procession arrive holy entrance, the coffin taken from the car, borne athletic twelve hero, supporters, pall bearers, up the gothic sounding ailes, high elevate seats, accommodation the great officers state, foreign ambassadors, members either senate, heroes, warriors, naval, the military great, and thronged unnumbered multitudes, central pavement 'neath dome as a sky, destined mortal remains; a sable scene, officiating clergy, dignified prelates, anthems, te Deums, the quires immortal, sang the Redeemer, resurrection, the life, man destined behold his eternal judge thrones everlasting righteousness; plaintive, helpless all nations, alternate allelulian, loud chorus, blessed the name the Most High extatic strains; passing months, rolling years, ever the wing fleet life's precarious stage; vanity, vanities, riches their crave, their burden; they sang faith, hope in God, refuge, rock, before creation; a thousand years as yesterday, as nothing the glance deity; glory the Triune, God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, and chaunted greatness the Holy One of Israel, scatter wicked imagination mans device, fills the patient waiting, sends empty away the arrogant rich; his mercy of old, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, chorus sublime, now vacuum to inspire, seraphic strains, exalt echo's,

man restored the image his maker, sprinkled pardoning blood, arrayed spotless righteousness, death unbolts terrestrial prison, liberates the soul, bid upward mansions everlasting home; harps, instruments divine, golden lyres, now roll solemn chords, now captivate cadence, melancholy the opening tomb, a last a solemn dirge, did not I hear as fled the closing scene, did not I hear angelic harmony, resound the heroes fame, his long since alighted spirit, blissful plains immortality?

Agaze, amaze, the shifting scene, I saw king George ascend his mighty throne, the sceptre in his regal hand, and glittering gem, a crown immortal gold that rested on his head; princes, nobles either hand, the monarch speaks; commands arms, to war! prophetic foreknew, threatened a foreign power, assembled realms, a world on fire, jealous his honours, espoused glory, his lifted foot, the stamp that shook the terraqueous; victory, fame, ready the habitable globe, captains on the wing to plough the billowed orb, war, living war, nor sheath the purple blade, nor invoke return peace, till arrogance, cursed ambition on a level the silent tomb; I saw Britannia don her liberty, handled the spear, shook the shield, clasped the helmet on her heavenly crown; enchanting scene, England her basined havens, lo! sailed her terrible bulwarks to close ports restless enemies; I heard recited her divine laws, her eternal constitution, that rock, superior adamant machinations man, fiends implacable hell; more than mortal enthusiasm to repel impious invasion, threatened her dust of gold, her coasts, her sacred strands; depicted skies, Britain her belt, her

land throughout, and now the channel sweep, now swell the Continent, now heaven prop Alps, now battlement Pyrenees, Spain, fragrant Italy, the Mediterranean, as a boundary Afric's refulgent clime, intervene beds ocean, lounging isles, washed blue azure, the eternal seas bewilder maze; Corsica conspicuous; shores, creeks, briny girt, nature her industry, some sacred muse, some genius god, from thence destined shake the habitable globe; a stripling youth I saw, demean unusual, solitude, sedentary bliss, a cool deportment, his mind store renowned deeds ancient Greece, immortalized Rome, nor forgetful Britain, her heroic achievements, her sublime history; juvenile innocent pastime, plan on sand, defence, attack fortifications, arrangement hostile corps the dread hour battle; chance, success, victory, its reward, glory, bathe military science, conversant wisdom, legislators, austere, unbearable, a firmness bordering an obstinate enthusiasm; more than mortal ambitious run life's aspiring stage; a voice, a hand his head, Napoleon! thou destined sit throne the illustrious Bourbons; from youth to man most ardent, win fame's seraphic vestibule; lieutenant corps artillery, command batteries Toulon, his enemies amaze him dauntless slippery tombs; led artillery corps an insurrection Paris, omniscient the perilous whole; fame his valour to the stars, generalissimo sent campaign Italy, arrive head quarters when spring her lovely apparel arrayed immortal bloom, the opening bursting year; arms, to war! his men, battle, glory; him their affections, leader august, small in stature, a mind superior wiles, frowns ten thousand worlds; I

saw the Austrians, the Piedmontese, their camp battlement Alps, a bird's eye peep the meander Genoa, the French their station Savona, their left the fragrant Montenette, thy skill Napoleon, mirrored artillery shook brazen poles; combat, wrath, won field, push astound, arrive Carcaras t'other side earth, and wheeled the rapid Po, faced bloody Lodi, o'er heaps its thousands slain, through vermilion billows invincible passed death's tremendous barrier in pursuit retreating Austrians; his entry Milan, new laws, honours astargaze, epic poets, seraphic numbers drew from heaven, sung his genius unbounded power; vassals given keys, the bended knee, him kingly on his golden throne assents the silent nod; partial reverse, rudiments the school war, rebellion fiend bannered, the sounding toscin, to the war, to the war, either his former chief, him terrible indignant, wraps infernal flame the turbulent Binasco; some ticketted eternity, a precious squander untimely death, Milan given lawless plunder, massacre, death, the innocent municipality, priests, nobles, transported distant clime; stratagem, mind, restless, tempered weightier judgment; a god, leader victorian, despise dead night, full march elate ere Aurora enamoured the wished the heavenly morn; majesty dialect, din arms, low fame, indulged I heard; I saw, permitted of heaven, shake almighty throne the British empire, but to lodge deeper her adamant footing; enchanting scene, crystal refulgent, Britannia as the pole star, tributary ether, dependent worlds led her immaculate genius; and now this aspiring conqueror, superior every obstacle, acts

worthy, amazed intrepidity, capturing prince Cote, chief the Neapolitan cavalry; harvest reap, cannon, stores, waggons, instruments, magazines, hues superb dipped; compel the enemy fly, retreat, push advanced posts, cloudless beyond terrestrial barriers, march, celestial zeal, aspire seraphic fame; judgment, reason, harmonize affections, hand his valour posterity beyond; life and soul, his men amour, celestial sing their country, female angel virgin loves; his arrival the superb Florence, princely entertained refulgent dukes, investiture, reduction Mantua, treaties his holiness the Pope, career, eternal dance, tune points battle, thrapp invincible prowess obedient legions; his enemies affrighted, flee the sublime Alps, him upward scales battlement those tempestuous towers, defiance sea, land billows, hurricane, sky, worse sleet, bulwark snows, ether frosts, leading his men honour everlasting renown; the war Tyrol, princes, dukes, archdukes, amazed, terror his march, returns his capital, covered never-fading laurel triumphant glory, and threw her mantle peace, around the habitable globe, save Britain, she on her wisdomed throne, nor stooped his inflexible mien; bid the war a fiercer glow, serenest, nod hurl arrogance, mad ambition, on a level his obscure origin and despicable birth; I saw him seize Malta, his fleet the lucid Nile, a sudden visit Egyptian realm, full march desert sands, at war native Mamelukes, hope arrest the torrid orb, penetrate Indian, England cut off her distant resource; first Alexandria, full trot destructive soil, kiln fortitude, hazard unsung, mock death, laugh his oven lank sides, ulti-

mate possession Grand Cairo, encamped the sacred pyramids, those eternal monuments, that smile the roll ages, rude rust, the blast of time; canopied huge basis, refreshing shadow, hero, conqueror, singing his men, immortalized deeds, proud paths honour everlasting renown; conflict, waste, one era victorious, reversed another, series astonished changes, most miraculous escape, time's lengthened wheel through stratagem, wile, safe the French capital, escaped ken Englishmen, that blocked each lucid barrier that distant sea; I saw him presented the Directory, seraphic pomp, and refulgent splendour, military trophies, won plains battle; liberty, equality, heaped standards taken from the enemy, acclamation resound, heroic shouts redound redound eternal joy; the fete! the fete! enthroned as a god, divine harmony, lays immortal sung him conqueror Italy; elevate, raised dignity chief consul, inspired ambition, hoped conquest old England; war, declaration war, the Austrian empire, his arrival Dijon head quarters, assembled forces, review, astonished proceed, brave difficulty, lean the arms of death, artillery updrag mountains, face hideous clime, sleet frigid driven, nerve, soul, divine enthusiasm, descent downward, the heart his enemies dominions, combat amaze, enter Milan, build youth empire, the battle Marengo, that op'd ears, mouths all nations, friendship infernal, arm in arm, conversed the king of terrors that memorable day; triumphant return, the fame Napoleon that ascended the stars; nor satiate his restless ambition, sudden at Boulogne, marshal his myriads, aloud blasphemed her name, her site Britain; most

awful footing, princes their quota, potentate, chief, crown, coronation, magnificent pageantry, flattery, adulation, king Italy, his own arm imperial planted his golden head; thou Milan, witnessed the august ceremony; sudden array, I saw Russians, assembled Austrians, and now the opening campaign, French armies leave Boulogne, rapid strides, pushed banks, the meander Danube, six divisions pass the warbling Rhine, Napoleon their head, bold decisive movements, chess armed, entraps the trembling Mack; drew military net, at discretion, artillery, magazines, trophies, arrive the Austrian capital; nor luxurian detained; onward Munich, swum the pearl Inn, laugh bolden enemies, 'stablish head quarters Lintz, met stern, Austrian, Russian forces, the battle Austerlitz, terror astound, roar apparatus, thousand thunders, death mounted, death full gallop, Napoleon serene the carnage field, grasp brazen parks, baggage, superb trophies, veteran companies, honours strew, victory, bugle, blow her arrival peace, Napoleon that unfolded her sacred banner, aloud hush, be still, bid war begone; sublime, enchanting heavens, circumferent, his birth, valour, renown, military genius, fame sprig laurel tastefully adorned his gilded bushy temples; majesty imperial, terror all nations, save Britain, her calm demean, her significant smile, slow to revenge insults her injured rights: and now yonder t'other side hemisphere, I saw faint glimmer, as darts the crystal lattice, when the sun by degrees, revolves refulgent ray; methought geographic, the Indies, as by an Almighty hand, in miniature that luxuriant land, meander rivers, tipped silver

rocks, now mountains lordly assume, nature her don apparel, her virgin smiles, her angel beauty, extatic green, delightful shade, now hymn each hue, now lively swell each purple pulp, seraphic beauties, Arabic gales, the scene enlarges, my countrymen! a leader their head, Britain born, collected, cool, a courage superior petty ill, superior man, ten thousand worlds, death's ghastly grin, Arthur his name; destined gather laurel life's human stage, alliance powers to cope Mahratta chiefs, restores the Peishwa his original throne, push masterly, the renowned Aurungabad; hurried the affrighted Rajah, his internal dominions: O thou exalted Britain, increase wealth, increase power, her deeds conspicuous immortal annals everlasting fame; and closed the Indian war, Arthur his start, win fame's celestial goal; Napoleon at ease, a sullen lounge his golden throne, arrest Britannia, to atoms her purple sceptre, and annihilate her revered memory? did not I see ere adieu the wondrous scene, did not I see father Time, with increase urge the pliant thong, anxious to pass, England, her eternal repose from all her enemies?

BOOK THE TWELFTH.

O THOU! before all worlds, infinite, unchanged, heights eternal, omniscient, heaven, heavens, immaculate evolution, systems, suns, dependent deities, who, what pen, what tongue, what mortal, presume, make known, or descant thy everlasting greatness, God Almighty, before the stars, Creation, or father Time ordained his golden chariot, thou first, thou last; we mortals endowed divine reason, scan thy power, thy glory, but in part; thou all ages, rowled mighty seasons, effervescent suns, light, life, hue flang, deign O Most High; thy watchful eye, thy guardian care, led upward, bid fight battles, king, my beloved country; what time heavenly visitant, central Britain, her gigantic realm, fled the extatic vision, before me delightful scene, her boundary, girt, ocean amour an affectionate embrace her eternal domain; fragrance, virginity, nature every hand, odours her land, divinity green, crystal refulgence, suns azure canopied thrones exist gold, how glorious, greatness, wealth, allowed pride,

hill, vale, lordly mountains, eloquent rocks, abrupt landscape, steeples, towns, industry, joy, I beheld her military, her basined havens, veteran armies, bulwark navies, terror all nations, revolving worlds; London imperial, kings ivory thrones, illustrious captains the winds the winds, their fists mighty ocean, a nobler laugh tempestuous enemies; angelic command, upward agaze, azure sea, the billows sigh, heave purple breasts, the billows roll, tumble heavens serene, methought youth winds, an exquisite limb, afar, afar away, bounded one hand golden strands, nature her begun landscape, t'other perpendicular barriers; I heard the sea dash forbidden territory, retreating waves that aroar, retrograted cavern beds; the centre this sublime channel sudden superb structure, not as Pandemonium centre hell, whose foundation infernal gold, palaces, gods, demi-gods, eternal curse human, other sublimity, beckoning four winds, alike either, ocean gild, victory, fame, war, central pantheon, upward 'mitted azure from on high, peace, peace, her fragrant wheel the topmost dome; crystal folding doors, axled hinged pivots gold, the massy pillars build, unnumbered peep, turrets empyrean, ascent pavement, seas marble, gems glitter, oratory divine that explained, the one voracious her enemies unfathomable, another her sons inspire 'mid battle, thee fame seraphic her heroic achievements, war jealous won glory, last peace, hush rebellion, fan a pious flame o'er all the tumult world; first that immortal sire, whirlpool garments, winds, waves, animalculæ roar, (stood grand entrance his princely mansion,) and but to lift his arm,

wake tempest, kindle his anger empyrean, bury quench the glorious orb of day, roll artillery thunder heavens affrighted; appeased, folded arms, a manly mien, the winds retire, nature abroad, the muses sing; chant the muses, on his forehead as writ the morn creation, ocean! embrace the half my new made world; his feet the caverned globe, the mighty deep lave buskin thighs, gigantic crest, swell gales, now alounge slumber, now awake terrible, billows roar, earth trembles, the fury winds his awful fists, flings malignant ken amid the stars; thou venerable, almighty thou; systems thy smile, amazing theme to resound glory, majesty, heavens eternal; sceptre imperial, health, harmony, love, surge pebbled, magnanimous sublime perpendicular barriers; meliboen doze seraphic limb, refulgence his western car, beckoning approach twilight, the queen of heaven, intruding gems, starry outlet, who adequate, enraged, summons the winds, bid vengeful up chariotted etherial whirlwinds, omnipotent that potent morn, when deity as with a wand, nether sluices, burst secret doors, caverns a horrid gorge, abathed, laved mountain tops, swum vales, land oblivion, as with a besom, swept iniquitous race man an awful eternity, tumbled thy lucid crew dungeons, where life, breath, nor the sun's vital ray e'er penetrated; shall the puny powers an immortal being thee limit? as lightning, whose instantaneous beam, the four heavens, antipodes known the profound; hint in miniature, stood vestibule his mansion, outstretched arm, hear all lands, I sole dominion the mighty deep, ordained of heaven, universal empire; life, breath

unnumbered millions, feed thirsty suns, fatten genial globes, unfathomable caverns my retreat, lean rocks, dip fragrant surfaces, borrowed nature her every green her choicest hue; me proud float embattled her standard Britain, preference all other nations, jealous her maritime rights, her kingly glory; oft peaceful slumber to inspire divinity creation, when the winds sleep, zephyrs romp, whether Aurora opening eastern palaces, or the sun canopied thrones gold, or warbling twilight; bid the winds blow, blow, mountain, amain precipitate Britannian bulwarks central inveterate enemies; he said, withdrew; waves, the sea in a tremor, antipodes alarmed unusual heave; then I saw victory the next side this superb structure, ready his smiles further corners earth, hover the sanguine field, alight, unnumbered foes to flight; on his head, plumes war, an angel mien, spread fragrant wings, honey drop, a God; conversant battle, lord the field of war, pleased shadow death, proud stalk slaughtered thousands, glorious harbinger peace, precede her august arrival, her heavenly approach, beckon the muses celestial thrones; graceful harangue, listen empire, I friendly prowess, smile pious labour, well done magnanimous humane; a chariot wheel the combat plain, a nod, myriads alarmed, aghast me terrible; I bid the battle cease, the jargon roar declines, vermilion streams forget to flow, death his horrid crew recalls, England my friendship; her chiefs, mighty heroes, whether borne ocean shoulders, or canopied terrestrial plains, attendant squadrons, armies array battle, ever ready finger beckon, inspire divine genius that first invoke

the God of heaven to befriend their honourable career; Britain has won my heart; I chace her enemies, fly astounded, nor askance, nor stay in all the plain, leaders, adamant tars inspire, to throw her mantle love o'er all the earth; he said, pinioned seraphic, tinged ineffable hue blessed departure; then its third side, thee fame, than whom none more august; fame, and stood his threshold, on his shoulders three trumpets, mellifluous one to resound illustrious deeds wide plains battle, on a par seraphic trumps that in the presence Almighty God, re-echo immortal strains; equal sonorous a second, genius, men whose superior capacity above ordinary standard, whether kings seated equitable thrones, statesmen, philosophers, poets divine gifted, or those finer minds, that humane, energize the benefit the welfare mankind; a third the least, society at large, from the most noble to the meanest peasant; thou manly, who aright sing; now gigantic, pigmy now; whisper, stare hollow looks, wider gape stupid mouths, outstrip the winds, race dappled seas, land every coast, fleet clime, speed mountain, tiptoe unknown vales, express through villages, towns, cities, nor satisfied the rotund, up upward, force thy intruding head 'mid starry spheres; nor in power, centre gravity detain, leave far swift wheels revolving earth, o'erjoyed thy song beyond this lower orb; in league empire, kings ivory seated listen divine oracles, celestial scribe, page heaped on page, past deeds, character immortalized, dawn creation, government, sprang how flourished, heroes, feats, actions the great, that athirst for glory and renown,

enrol their names, their divine titles thy everlasting volume; him his golden pavement, inspiring blast, chief trump, Britain, her kings, deeds, warriors, captains, adamant tars, his home Britannian, her renowned metropolis, her fame resound the wide earth, wider heaven; he said; as lightning etherial, seraphic lost amid the stars, strains worthy Apollo of old, England, her maritime glory, lo heard beyond the heaven of heavens; then the last side this princely mansion (alike either, lily ascent, pavement gold, pillars, turrets, domes,) one deformed, stood entrance, besmeared repose, a hideous monster, instant harangue, what, what, what now, I born in heaven, and scarce an infant peep jubilant region, when headlong unfathomable plunged hell, league my grand progenitor now called the devil, that hoped heaven assail, nor loathe make known my infernal character, to the present hour had rowled brimstone, pleased despair, had not the arch enemy mankind me forcibly dragged that cursed retreat amid his guilty train, sin, sickly woe, and ghastly death, through sea, through heaven's azure clime, infinite afar, alighted this happy orb, that sublime on celestial wheel, fed life immortal from central fountain day; I saw the sun, the system blythe, matchless evolution, destined earth, arrived her bare confine, as a vortex, an instantaneous wheel her seraphic surface; and landed, they me invoke, divine honour me, Satan, sin the accursed rear, accompanied pale horror, wretched woes, and silent sorrows; I hover palaces, kings provoke, every heart open my call, swell elastic veins, spirit divine, nether hell, brimstone boil damned abodes, an instru-

ment heaven's unerring hand, punish lawless rebellion the cursed opaque; my name is war, well pleased bathe smear, sanguine gore, delight the bloody field, delight the very opposite heaven plains, where once momentary ken, enraptured once heard immortal quires, tune hallelujahs heaven's supreme; he said; retired a cursed demean, drew devilish carcass as a toad, to squat forbidden abode: the scene as at first; father Ocean his purple pavement, seem listening some distant harmony, the strains I heard, thrill echoes, grew nearer as wafted celestial region, lo from on high, peace, her virgin train, alighted, stood topmost dome the muses; sang, thee offspring of heaven, immortal, angel of light, sent of Deity, smooth life's rugged ascent, cheer laborious march, sons men, heaven's everlasting home; thou the right hand Jehovah; Adam an infant slumber, where not mute the golden lyres, when the Almighty on thee, then his divine work, heaven's princely gift to lonely man? as copied thy smile, thy diamond eye, delicate sensibility, angel softness, abashed the sun, the moon her blushing veil, silent confessed immaculate purity, as reigns in bliss above the stars of heaven; all hail; O most holy, reign inward; stood topmost dome, infinite superior father Ocean, victory, fame, demon war, (I heard with reverence,) my name is peace, I dwell on high, reign blissful realms eternity; a mantle Deity, ever his adorable presence, temporary aside, when vengeance, commands angel messengers punish lawless rebellion the cursed opaque; heaven my home; there string nobler chords, warbling quires, myriad angels, archangels, inspire jubilant immortal

strains; I rule the stars, systems, suns, dependant deities, serene pinioned wheel everlasting round; thy train O God creation, me sublime office, chased chaos, smiled the dry land, tumbled huge seas profound caverns, ocean imperial diadem, placed meliboen sceptre his kingly hand; nature my younger sister, imperial the vegetable world, chaste symmetry, exquisite vein, shaded green, into being the mighty soul that swell each immortalized germ; present the Eternal, when with mighty bellows his refulgent work the great orb of day, circuit compass either planet, accompanied azure satellites, the moon to rule the pious meridian, and lead the sons of men to wisdom and holiness; cattle, creep, unfathomable reared a temple the holy deep, let us make man omniscient decree, I inward either visual, led the immortal soul sacred presence infinite majesty; imperial sceptre the new made world, till affrighted approach sin, death, rear guard hell; I rouse fallen man, Emanuel point, Emanuel sing, wing the regenerated soul, a happy flight, realms everlasting happiness; Britain my peculiar regard; alight her shores, embark her golden strands, plow azure billows, fleet all nations, throw her mantle, sing her errand love to every land; she said, as an angel wheeled the superb edifice, her beauty, fragrance, ocean upward, victory, fame, war ruffian stare, the muses' golden chords, loud chorus, sung peace an angel of light, when sudden in a twinkling threw ope folding doors centre this majestic structure; there ocean lounged his billowed throne, there victory, fame, war, peace, instant harangue the watery

monarch, I lay her foundations the mighty deep, I the germ inspire fame chief trump, I enkindle war add her immortality, me sheath the purple steel, lift her top-stone glory above all azure; either said, as lightning departed; first father Ocean dug lucid a hollow gulph; arrived the centre orb, either huge effort, diamond bars, adamant, gold, clasped subterranean rocks, blessed marble, stratas, sand, balmy marle, gems, precious stones, purer pearl, myriad ore, on a a level, nature in attendance, flung shaded green, sprinkled her hue, divine dip, planned abrupt beauties, hills, mountains, vales, serpentine elysian, enchanting scene, an unknown voice explained; the channel, temple, Britannia, her kingdom, boundary, belt, her golden strands, her pebbled beach, crystal inlets, bulwark fleets, floating thunderbolts war, sublime, afar away, first wall brass, circumferent her holy domain, on it marble girt, beyond of gold, reached highest heaven, and topped the glorious whole; indelible her exploits all ages, her battles, victories, heroes, kings, the noble brave, the learned great, poets, revered sages, ocean, the winds, sweep chariots, fleets, squadrons, leaders, captains, sturdy tars, war depict, peace, more than human, victory, fame, armies array battle, plains vermilion, rout, slaughter, what triumphant trophies exemplified celestial virtues her gigantic character, magnanimous renowned the wide world, able every wit industry, social arts, nature, the divine nine conspire harmonious hand blest remotest posterity; indulged; reveled seraphic scenery, as with a deeper azure hid beneath landscape, upward, seas that grew, most su-

perb edifice, inspiring either backward thought to reflect venerable ocean, victory, fame, war, peace, inner beauty, council, decision, their splendid departure, lift England, lean her head gently the stars, founded eternal rock, bolts, bars, amazing lock, Deity that suspends upmost heaven the massive golden key; strands, sand, dust of gold, inland paradise as the garden Eden, enclosed wall brass, on it marble, then gold, historic, her celestial character, as by a divine penman, handing her fame amazed posterity, beyond shall command aside the last enemy, while her immortality ascends beyond the stars: then methought, in an instant I alighted the centre my beloved country so admirable dipict aloft azure; reverent the presence my sovereign, at his right hand, witnessed the glory his mighty empire; princes, dominion, dignitaries the realm, either senate, led of heaven to nought mad brained schemes restless enemies; king George, etherial gold, refulgent gold, a crown immortal gold, that rested on his head; elysian landscape, hill, vale, meander bliss, peace, amorous joy, rampart elevate, terrestrial beyond, seem suspended 'mid air sublime; enthroned empyrean glory, king George thereon, victory, fame, either their chariots, waiting his awful nod; war gone forth, his errand vex, maddened wheels foes; ocean composed, so late Trafalgar victory, myself the fatal blow, confirmed Britannia, her undoubted right, sway universal sceptre the boundless deep; the king, silence amaze, the king, princes, dominion, arms, to war, nor sheath the blade, quell artillery roar, or the land bid enjoy blessings peace, till you usurper

hurled his iniquitous saddle, ignominious chained and spectacle some solitary isle; cursed ambition, through fields blood ascend forbidden thrones, nor content provoke war surround empire, an oath bound his iron aorta, decrees utter annihilation my repose, wipe our honours, divine titles, from pages revered earth; see madbrained, foul, fair, force arms, control either continental, enmity more than human, shut our commerce, friendship from an inoffensive globe; indignant stamp, myriads his standard, blaspheme our bulwark, land, an eye colonial, invoke venerable ocean, to waft his armies and pollute our sacred strands; princes, my people, arms, to war! heaven hitherto our cause, heaven rewarded glory, we on heaven rely; he said; victory and fame superb start, ocean adieu, his services no more; war nor beheld, previous departure, king George, extended arm, the doom his enemy, the whole as ten thousand suns 'lumined afar azure; and now aspiring scenery, ocean that grew in length, prodigious stature, limned a wider channel, the waves, the billows meet; geographic first, continental shores, as the sun his darting beams propel swift shadow some passing cloud, hasted the kingdom of France; I saw the busy Paris bent on ambitious war; vintage, towns embosomed wood, carpet plains, crystal rivers, peaceful banks, eternal solitude, heaven prop Alps, battlement Pyrennees, ocean a circuit sweep, pencilled the British channel, took an elbow turn Ushant, laved basin Biscay, a stern rebuke bid Finisterre no farther intrude his foaming bosom; then to the right assembled seas, mountain billows, prodigious to the tumble Gut, limned the

kingdom Portugal, Hercules, the South France; to the east, nether, lowlands, Germany, the busy Texel, curves, creek, haven, promontories, peaceful bays winding the everlasting Sound; afar away Prussia, Poland, vast empire the mighty czars, south Mediterranean, serene Archipelagos, Italy's lank lounge, the north, continued sea, the frigid Baltic, Norway, Swede, Spitzberg, chilled ocean a brazen turn Kamschatka, mine eye the circumferent sweep, stood her isle Britain, astonished scenery, nor intruded the bare bosom mother earth, but reversed, a hollow orb, England central, shed a refulgent lustre the glorious whole; I saw the eternal pole, adamant to support the ponderous orb; havens, creeks, shores ne'er before seen, seas untrod, the prodigious Yellow, that mazy bewilders the courageous mariner; one hand Atlantic t'other frozen plains, bottomless abyss, tremendous bergs, huge rocks leaning perpendicular unknown stars; amazing ken, all nations, language, people, tongue, heaven writ clime, Afric, Asia, the sacred Nile, Egyptian realm, burning sands, hazy atmosphere as by an oven over heated burning blasts; embedded tracks amid heaven's refulgent beam, strands empurpled, golden coasts winding the corner Cape; the studded Verd, Ascension, Helena, Indian, Madagascar, Bengal, spicy Ceylon, father Ganges, empire the great Mogul, isles balsam, stations serene, nature wanton, her celestial imports from central fountain day; Tartary, the populous China, continent Holland, shores botanical dipped, the Phillippines smiling suspend, America to the west, St. Lawrence,

inlets Mississippi, Caribee, casket, jewels, gems, I saw the Brazils, scenery serpentine, diamond land, nature her wedding attire, her fairy jewels, the gigantic Cordilleras that dip their crowns seraphest gold beyond the stars of heaven; the lonely Horn, Magellan, lands unknown arrayed eternal everlasting snow; nor must I forget the Pacific, that yond ocean, afar the noisy European, American back, Acapulco, Nootka, haven shore, beast, bird, immortal man, their lives long live pleasurable bond; a rapid close the south, the fretted poles, antipodes o'erhead hid canopied azure; at a glance, the world; kingdom, empire, people, and tongue, sea, land sublime, assembled to behold Britain, her own arm, hurl arrogance, infernal oblivion, waft her mantle love, her smile affectionate every land; then war, mine ears assailed rumour, Napoleon, (a voice divine explained,) Napoleon emblazoned his throne, arms, to war, stratagem, accursed net, drew nether the low lands, Germany, Austria, kingdom Italy, bid the people, imperial him, arrogant his own arm, that planted his head a crown forbidden gold; the holy Pope, no longer temporal dominion, undaunted insolence, hurl monarchs their long lounged saddles, pull down, upraise at will, a rapid stride the seat Europe, his jealous eye Prussia, then throne the mighty czars, last Britain, pluck her laurel palm, to atoms her sacred sceptre; menace, sudden march the Prussian frontiers, his aim Berlin, compel the king, join grasp all confederation; sight thee Bamberg, reviews assembled thousands, movement sublime, at a glance turn masses left the Prussian army; skill, manœuvre,

chalked, drew plan immediate battle; his veterans along the winding Saale, leaned Naumburg to the important Kahla; the Prussians, their lounge, awful apparatus, 'tween Auersdat, the city Weimar; conflict Jena, eight hundred artillery, greedy, hungry to devour immortal man; roar, the smoke, jargon yell, fierce howl, patriotism hot, Napoleon in person shook central myriads beckoned victory, bid fame seraphic begone, echo all lands, the stars of heaven; the slaughtered field, Prussia's king that fled the disastrous plain, his chief, wound mortal, borne carried arms death; a mighty peal, Napoleon startled skies, left in rear the melancholy waste; triumphal entry Berlin, nor luxurian detained, with praise be it spoken, push onward fearless, the war and gloriously, aspire everlasting renown; harass, pursuit, laugh elements, tempest howl, hell midnight, arrive Potsdam, a hasty view the memorable spot, where the immortal Frederick, breathed his terrestrial last; onward anxious, gild titles, add scrolls fame, fling courage his legions, bid superior bestrew tombs, lightning, wild fire death; conqueror invincible, entering the venerable Warsaw, surrender Spandau, artillery sullen, superb hues friendly exchange, nor the ear appalled distress echo, nor death a visit its citadel and rampart; Hohenloe, his sixty-four thousand, lay down their glittering arms, as a torrent advance the French emperor, war open, decided, ultimate object annihilate Britain, erase her revered enemy; anger, spleen, dungeon her innocent subjects, Babylonian consume her texture merchandize, tyrannic descend her sacred canopy, fragment bestrew her holy isle surround billows; amid the

wreck of worlds, Britannia seated as heaven's pole beauty, nor steep this puny orb, when tempests howl, rude thunders roar; scheme, devised plan, vent revenge so minute a spot? ran the northern war, dance galloping gates Hamburgh, forcible admittance, iron signature the flames English merchandise, and has arrested merchants thrust plunged merciless dungeon holds; time swift unseen, ran heated aisles, I saw the Russian war, advance French armies, the battle Pultusk, slaughter amaze, artillery roll heavenward, victory superb chariotted, surrender Dantzic, Napoleon invincible contemn intervene rivers, laugh, smile, very tempt the post danger; trophies triumphant, replenished magazines, hues martial, sacred standards, handing his capital, accompanied themes, ecstatic joy; curbed ambition, hoped the wide world, sway universal sceptre, and then a thought how win the stars; the battle Friedland that shook the stubborn pole; I saw her glorious descent peace, her virgin alight the purple Nieman, inspired affectionate interview the three august potentates; Napoleon chief; ambush at will, emperor the Russias, Prussia's king, bid war begone, heaven upward relieved, ceased to moan the agonized globe; his return Paris, arrayed celestial laurel, throw peace Europe around, save Britain, 'ere long, her single handed, hurl this mad usurper from his presumptuous saddle; fame seraphic, I heard resound his prowess, beyond the stars of heaven; distant isles amaze; military genius, worthy epic, immortalized song; short visit peace, emblem him the fiercer storm, nor content his honours, amazing power, marked as a

bait Moscow, sway the Baltic, Tartary south, Persia, the refulgent Ind, as with a net, encircle Britain, rejoice her terrible downfall; impious, profane, a trample on seals, sacred signature, defiance law, an upright globe, bid war array his deepest plume, arms embattled, one foot his imperial capital, t'other seat the ancient czars, from thence deal anarchy, confusion the wide world; a brutish insult peace, be gone, no more thy smiles, thy friendship and regard; myriads his uplift standard, as the banner that cursed hour, when Satan in heaven mused impious war; kings in train, princes, heroes, sage wisdom, worthy their leader, renowned a lengthened page, sacred annals everlasting fame; began march, when lovely spring blooming, her exquisite theme, that sung in immortal strains, the fragrant bursting year; sudden sight thee Dantzick, swum billow Nieman, amid harmony, fluted joy, timbrels, cadence, poetic lifting the thought, battle element glory; as the myriad pearl morning dew, vanish approach heaven's sire, thus every obstacle; Wilna fawned victorian feet, the Russian's dismay driven, flee divinity genius, able the sceptre, able conduct armies; Smolensko ran rivers blood, smoke as towering furnaces, cursed war, death exposed his single gut, shining purple, blades o'erheated, fire bombard, and hell compelled infernal peep; pursuit, serenity, plunged the battle Moskwa, did not Aurora limb begun slaughter, eve start back, loath fulfil her divine engagement? heaps slain, soil that reeked human gore, Napoleon as a god, strode blood plains, full chase, hue, cry, conquering to conquer, the soul rivetted, eager celestial race, glory triumphant, legions gates

Moscow, entering that venerable city, 'mid fire, despairing yell, the Russians brimstone moved, kindle their holy capital, rather Babylonian an unknown eternal heap, than possession their accursed enemy; days, nights, heaven upward illumined, embers empyrean, and lodged the peaceful stars; anarchy, as before the birth of time; the pious Russians invoke the God of heaven, thou winter, blow, blow, root this merciless assailant from face very earth: attained thy aim Napoleon an awful doom, let alone pages heaven; Britannia smiles, her nod, and sailed her bulwarks, armies; ocean pent safely in port her enemies, at their peril, plow, launch the billow globe; her imperial sceptre, ruled undisturbed earth's floating half; winter came to seal the fragrant year, then shortened days, nature adieu hasted the affrighted scene, the sun preferred celestial smiles, southern afar the dire cabal: meanwhile Sir Arthur lands the Tagus; Lisbon allelulian, arrived their deliverer; him banish alarm, hurry the common enemy sacred frontier; his advance, game routine, arrive Coimbra, imperial head the British armies, the enemy on watch towers, alarmed sublime movement, thee Wellesley that with extended arm, encircled Oporto, drove the French retrograde, rushed their embossed, skirmish, the open field, nobler combat, sudden retreat, ambush manœuvres, recall worst discomfiture, military skill, ardour of old, cool judgment, the immortal seasons in train, day, night, night, day, heroes a sweet repose 'mid canopy refulgence, veteran nocturnal, reign eve, suspicious night, midnight, star lamp, or earlier dawn; the battle Talavera, Wellesley the onset, a spur his nostril

animal, as a god their embossed, entrap dependent pitiable comrades, baggage, artillery, hues superb, nor permitted listen divine melody her superior valour Great Britain; saviour thee Portugal, handed rest that vintage land, drove hunted enemies, as panting sheep before the thirsty wolf; wily, energetic, alarm, or quiet still, genius inspired, superior death, the lonely tomb, hell's portal gape; I saw his advance the kingdom of Spain, root the French that land, reinstate the king his rightful throne; undaunted march; the terror his name, wield prowess, stride mightily either boundary, ken, snuff scented foes, penetrate amain, then sudden invisible, recall temporary rout, vex, fling despair, listen the French armies, openmouthed shook with trembling distant foliage that dandled tiptoe passing winds; fighting, skirmish, the open charge, victory, celestial trump almighty fame, seraphic theme, pen ready dip t'inscribe liquid gold, heroes pious exit realms eternal joy; deed, mighty feat, nor the invulnerable Cuidad, battlement towers, oppose the approach this illustrious leader; Englishmen, a manly spurn polite ceremony, onward aright march, in spite the verbal fears of death; courage serene, purple sabres, razor steel, command aside the king of terrors, laved vermilion ramparts, hurried pell-mell amassed opposition an awful eternity; shout triumphant, exchanged her standard Britain, unfurling to passing breezes seraphic beauty; laurels as autumnal leaves, tinged a deeper hue the bloody site, to Deums, the muses chant, the Spaniards, themes gratitude, sublime, did not I hear her fame Great

Britain rescued that vintage land, shoot athwart listening skies? the drawn sword, thee Badajoz, instant delivery peremptory capitulation possession the king of England; time golden balances suspended heavens, the battle Salamanca that confirmed British prowess, infinite superior united enemies; cannon roar, hubbub, despair, death vengeful arrows, feverish athirst quench precious human blood; won the slaughtered plain, trophies, eagles, magazines, captive heroes pent hurdled as inoffensive sheep; the fruits that memorable victory, entrance the British armies Madrid, hurrying the execrated Joseph; previous pelf forbidden throne, fled laden spoil, silver, gold, precious gem, fairy jewels, thee Wellington, gilded annals fame, nor wanting thy country, powder superb honours, entering the venerable Valladolid, precipitate the French across the meander Puiserjo, did not the bridges groan, despairing heroes wade breast high, bathe purple streams? a backward listen, hoofs approach metal, plains Vittoria, the battle that beckoned peace t'alight the kingdom of Spain; Wellington! to thee thy army brave, to thee the bounden praise; from on high tipped by the elbow, bid persevere aright everlasting renown; entering France, sublime movement the important Pamplona, hurrying accursed enemies his gates Bayonne; I saw, and witnessed; first Portugal, then Spain, relieved thraldom Napoleon; ocean Atlas upborne delightful ease Britannian bulwarks, her enemies actual communication cut off from the known world; Napoleon the north, a far fetched sigh, well laid plan the Russians, to deprive him a covert the inclement

lington, his army; kings, immortal chiefs, arrive her metropolis, banquets gold, adore her everlasting greatness, listen fame, seated etherial stars, celestial blast, as penned refulgent gold, the mightier feats, her captains, and supremely brave: hail Britannia! land immortal! everlasting praise her monarch, and her great; Pitt, Fox, Castlereagh, names long since arrived in heaven; I heard a voice, happy old England, genius's more than human, through a long protracted war, inspired with wisdom from above, to hand her immortality posterity beyond; each sacred muse aloud their golden lyres, extatic chorus, sung the glory her mighty empire, shout allelulian, th' assembled world an answer shout, rill echo joy, the amazement orb, when lo me sudden on board the Victory, my hand the well known hilt, leaning the arm chest, nature that composed the willing frame, indulged the sleepless mind, indulged one hour, ere Aurora on saffron wing, op'd folding doors that memorable morn, thou at eve all hail, and led sublime this heavenly abode.

The hero ended: each rising, now its sacred eternal vestibule, and their happy spirits upward to heaven, to mansions prepared, to realms of everlasting bliss.

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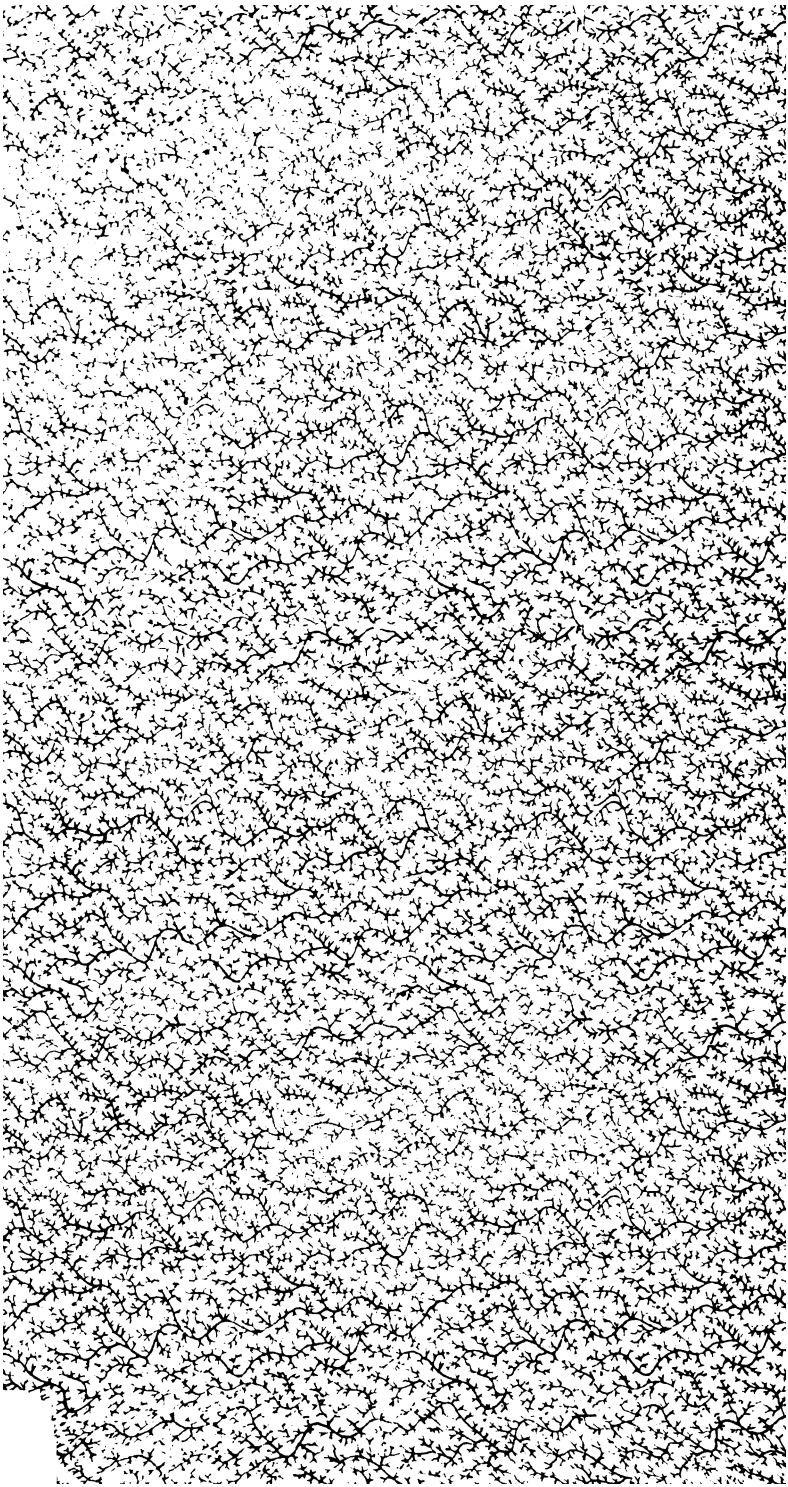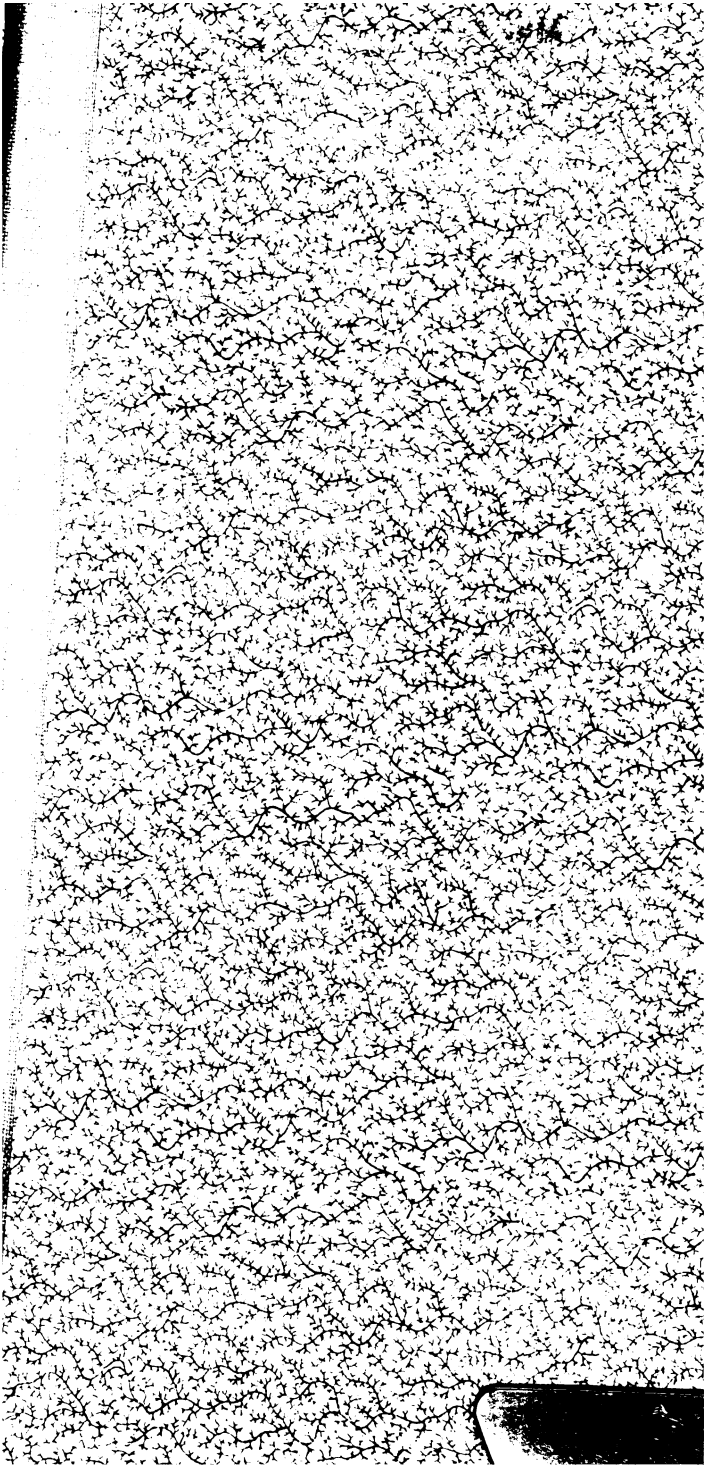
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